Tomorrow

The European Connexion: During the past four years, Europe has ceased to be merely a staging post for heroin on its way from Asia to the United States and has become an important market in its own right. On the Spectrum page tomorrow, Stewart Tendler reports on the alarming increase in heroin sales in Europe and the fears that worse is to

On the Fashion page, Suzy Menkes takes a look at The Bottom Line.

Scargill holds key vote

the National Union of Mine-workers, holds the casting vote by General Jaruzelski – marchmittee after elections in which the moderates lost their Solidarity sympathisers the moderates lost their the Solidarity sympathisers arrest some demonstrators hid majority. There is now a 12-12 through circumstance, tumbling in a church near the Benedictine

Sea homage to Argentine dead

Force plane and the merchant through the port to the suburb ship Lago Lacar are due to of Zaspa to join Mr Lech converge in the South Atlantic Walesa, the former Solidarity today at the site of the sinking chairman, who stayed in his of the Argentine cruiser General apartment. Police stopped the Belgrano, to pay homage to the demonstrators at a nearby war dead Page 4 railway station.

Opera halted

Covent Garden to cancel the cathedral. While the guns Verdi's La Forza del Destino acros the Vistula river rumbled which was scheduled for presen-tation during its 1983-84 season

Hitler move

The West German Government will be asked this week by leading Christain Democrats to investigate whether East German security officials had anything to do with providing the Hitler documents to Stern magazine

U-boat found

The discovery of a preserved Moscow (Reuter) - Hundreds across the square channelled the Stripes outfit riding a nuclear of thousands of hand-picked mass of marchers into thin missile as if it were a bucking Soviet citizens marched before columns.

Moscow (Reuter) - Hundreds across the square channelled the Stripes outfit riding a nuclear missile as if it were a bucking horse, an obvious reference to U-boat has revived a theory about special submarines being commissioned to take top Nazi the Kremlin yesterday in the On the mausoleum itself the traditional May Day parade most notable fact was the which has become Moscow's absence of Mr Konstantin

Salvador attack

Leftist guerrillas brought their I nist. Party, leader, and othe latest offensive to the outskirts | members of the Soviet leaderof San Salvador with attacks on police posts. After holding the mausoleum as the marchers town of Santa Rosa de Lima for paraded by with coloured floats 12 hours, they withdraw into and released balloons.

Housing courts

The Government is considering setting up special courts to handle only housing problems. The Minister for Housing is chamining proposals from the issued passes were allowed into Royal Institution of Chartered Red Square and then after an Page 3 average of seven checks by

Envoy returns

Mr Robert Zwinoira, Zimbabwe's former High Commissioner to Britain, relieved of his post after the purchase of a £585,000 Mayfair mansion, has slipped quietly back into Harare

Computer Horizons tomorrow takes a measured view of the Government's response Alvey, shows our lighthouses in a new light, and discovers how Mapel won a factory's heart.

Letters: On pre-trial procedures, from Sir Cyril Philips: Third World aid from Professor W Elkan, and others Leading articles: Royal tours: Turkey. Greece and the US: China and East Europe Features, page 8-10

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Workers and police clash at Polish May Day rallies

Running street battles erupted in Warsaw and several other Polish cities vesterday as tens of thousands of Poles tried mark May Day, the inter-national workers holiday.

Police used baton charges, water cannon and tear gas to break up the demonstrations, which were the first serious protest against General Wojciech Jaruzelski's Government for some six months.

As thousands of official delegates from the Communist Page 2 through city streets, chanting monastery. When it was sur-slogans like "down with the rounded by a crescent of militia junta" and "free political vehicles and armourd cars. a

In Gdansk some 15.000 demonstrators, having gathered at a memorial cross near the An Argentine Navy ship, an Air Lenin Shipyards, tried to walk

was in Warsaw, where about Financial difficulties have 10.000 people gathered in the forced the Royal Opera House Covent Garden to cancel the cathedral. While the guns a May Day salute, the demon-strators started to chant Solida-Page 3 rity slogans and wave banners. Leaflets marked "Solidarity will win" were passed from hand to

> The riot police allowed this to May Day demonstration. continue for about 40 minutes.

biggest annual propaganda dis-

ship waved from Lenin's

But the carnival scene pre-

sented to the television cameras

was a thin overlay to ironclad

security precautions designed to

prevent the slightest spark of

spontaneity or deviation from

Only holders of officially-

issued passes were allowed into

police. Lines of plaincothes KGB security men spread

the planned routine.

play for the world.

market square, the showpiece of the capital. There, water cannon ably to identify future candidates for arrest - and the Poles river, some of them ripping down the red flags festooning houses.

A Helicopter flying low to whip up a dust blanket then drove the protesters – who would stop, turn to face the police and shout "bandits" hefore running again – back into before running again - back into the old town district. To avoid vehicles and armourd cars, a solitary nun stood outside the entrance to bar admission.

Gdansk and also in Cracow and Szczecin - where the Solidarity off. sympathisers mixed with the offical Communist May Day marchers and flashed V-forvictory signs. Witnesses saw a number of beatings, including a particularly violent example near the Vistula when one The most politically signifinear the Vistula when one cant demonstration, however, demonstrator tried to break away from the militia. An American film crew who tried to film the incident was taken away by the police.

The Polish authorities were aware that the demonstrations, especially in Warsaw, could prove politically embarrassing. It was almost certainly the first time that police in a socialist country have had to break up a

Tight security for Moscow's

'invitations only' parade

Marchers air grievances

for more than a month.

Chernenko, a Politburo mem-

hout the parade and waved to

Lenin's heirs: Mr Andropov, the party leader (centre) flanked by Marshal Ustinov and Mr

Tikhonov, the Prime Minister, waving from Lenin's tomb yesterday,

in Brixton's own hospital wing.

Mr Martin was moved back

from the hospital because as a him and called the medical

Mr Andropov smiled thoug- waters.

ber and Mr Andropov's former the chill in relations since rival for the party leadership, Stockholm protested last week

who has not been seen in public over repeated ventures by for more than a month.

the marchers, but close-ups troops armed with Kalashnikov

taken by United States tele- automatic rifles stood out of

supported by a aide on the steps circled the city centre. Nor-

leading to the balcony of the mally, central Moscow is Mausoleum. crowded with pedestrians from

Mausoleum. crowded with pedestrians from Many of the floats in the early morning to late in the

parade had virtually anti-Ame- evening. Yesterday it was like

rican slogans or cartoons depict- a ghost town populated only ing a cowboy in Stars and by police and security men.

vision networks showed him sight of television cameras, looking pale, and he was Convoys of Army lo

Mr Yuri Andropov, Commu- Warsaw photographs, page 6

continue for about 40 minutes. Last year similar protests then pushed most of the crowds took the authorities by surprise

down the alleyways into the old and the militia were ordered not to intervene. This year, the authorities had to show that and guns loaded with turquoise they were firmly in control ink were fired at the demonstrators - the ink was presumposing martial law - and indeed lifting it - was that public order problems would become a thing ran helter-skelter down the of the past. The Pope's plan to visit Poland next month has added an additional element of

In his May Day speech General Jaruzelski told worker "activists" - that is party members and sympathisers -that martial law could be lifted in the coming days and months there are no disturbanarrest some demonstrators hid ces and peace is consolidated.
in a church near the Benedictine As he spoke, the police had already started to act against the demonstrators. The capital was put on high alert from Saturday when cars were stopped and searched on many main streets, Scores of demonstrators were By yesterday morning the old detained in Warsaw and town - scene of the main clashes - had been tightly sealed

> One Polish observer pointed out yesterday that apart from Day is also an international distress signal. Although the police acted with more discioccasions, the scenes in the morning showed that the authorities regarded the challenge from the underground as a type of distress message, a serious attempt to discredit the

The authorities are also determined to mop up as many potential protesters as possible before the Pope's visit - that much was clear from the squads of militia officers taking video

Ambassadors from most Western countries did not

attend the parade in a con-inuing gesture of protest

Afghanistan, Swedish diplomats

100 staved away as a result of

On the fringes of Red Square,

Convoys of Army lorries

ver Soviet intervention in

Home again: Prince William with his nanny, Mrs Barbara Barnes, at Gatwick, his

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Australian holiday over. His parents went to the Bahamas. Report, page 4.

'I will stay with peace work' says Kent

Mgr Bruce Kent yesterday reacted to the Roman Catholic reacted to the Roman Catholic church's warning over his position with the Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament by pledging to carry or peace work for the rest of my life".

Last week, Cardinal Basil Hume, the Archbishop of Westminster, warned him he may have to sten down as

may have to step down as general secretary of CND

Mgr Kent said that it was right for priest to be involved in such issues as quelear disarmament. "I think the church is absolutely in the world, it should be in the world, and we are talking about peace and justice and reconciliation and not killing each other.

"If the church is busy sitting in its sacristies, counting its rosary beads and ignoring the great problems of the world, then I do not think it is the right church for me", he told Independent Radio News.

The church was concerned with the "problems of our neighbour and one of the problems of our neighbour is

problems of our neighbour is being blown up by this ridiculous arms race". Although Cardinal Hume recently renewed his consent for Mgr Kent to continue as general secretary of CND, he admitted to "serious misgivings" and said that the task night be better andertaken by a lay person.

Asked about the chances of giving up CND. Mgr Kent replied: "I am very committed to peace work and I am going to stay with peace work for the rest of my life."

But Mgr George Leonard, Cardinai Hume's personal aide, said that the archbishop's permission to continue was not "absolute and unconditional". There were levels of CND activity which would make Mgr Kent's role "highly inappropri-ate, highly ambiguous and highly compromising", he said on the independent television programme, Credo.

Cardinal Gordon Gray, the leader of the Roman Catholic Church in Scotland, said that he would favour a national referendum on defence. Women and defence, back page

Howe puts June 9 back in polling diary By Anthony Bevins, Political Correspondent

Chancellor of the Exchequer, vesterday excited speculation that the Prime Minister might go for an election on June 9. so staying away from the Williamsburg summit on May 28-

Bur senior government sources last night stressed that no decision had yet been taken; that it was still entirely possible that Mrs Margaret Thatcher might next weekend announce there was no cause or justification for such a premature end

of Parliament. Meanwhile, the Chancellor significance of Williamsburg after widespread speculation that Mrs Thatcher was determined to attend, thereby delaying the election until June 23.

He said on Weekend World, the London Weekend Tele-vision programme: "I think it is very important that people should not look to Williamsburg in the expectation of great, heralded headlines and conclusions and specific commit-

Sir Geoffrey also repeated his

Sir Geoffrey Howe, the cautious optimism about economic recovery "provided we are sure that it is not going to be dramatic or a fast or high-speed one: sustainable modest and. above all, not risking a flash in the pan of a quick reflation to see it all disappearing again".

Next weekend the Prime Minister will be meeting Mr William Whitelaw, her deputy. and Mr Cecil Parkinson, the Conservative Party chairman, at Chequers before giving a full-scale interview on the World This Weekend programme on

High-level sources last night accepted that it would be difficult for Mrs Thatcher, in the wake of this Thursday's local elections, to delay any election announcement beyond the end of next week.

A proclamation on the dissolution of Parliament would be expected on Friday, May 13, for a June 9 poll. The advice offered to the Prime Minister will emphasize

the grave dangers of taking the election "tease" beyond that

Israelis challenge US over **Syrians**

From Christopher Walker Jerusalem

With the first Middle East shuttle of Mr George Shultz, the US Secretary of State, still far from its goal of removing all foreign forces from Lebanon. Israel last night pressed the Americans to supply concrete evidence of Syria's intention 10 withdraw its 30,000 troops as part of any final deal.

The Israeli move followed the return to Jerusalem of Mr Shultz, who immediately began a fresh round of talks with Mr Yitzhak Shamir, the Foreign Minister, and Mr Moshe Arens, the new Defence Minister.

Before Mr Shultz left the meeting to go on to a private session with Mr Menachem Begin, the Israeli Prime Minister, he was asked pointedly by Mr Shamir to clarify Syria's stand in view of the hardening of public comments from Damuscus over the past fort-

The intentions of the Syrian regime remain the most pres-sing question over shadowing Mr Shultz's delicate mission and the random factor which many Western diplomats fear is most likely to sabotage any Israeli-Lebanese agreement; should one ever be reached.

The recent Soviet military build-up in Syria has provided Israel with what some members of the American party see as a convenient diversionary tactic to avoid pressure to soften some of its most uncompromising security demands for southern

Last night's Israeli demand followed reports that Mr Shultz had postponed a previous plan to visit Damascus early this week as a central part of his mission. American officials told Israel radio that he would only go there when there had been more progress in the negotiations and something worth-while to talk about to the Syrian Government.

Rocket attack as Shultz sleeps

BEIRUT: Mr Shultz ap-peared unperturbed yesterday by the fact that two rockets exploded dangerously close to the American ambassador's residence in the suburb of Yarze, where he was spending the night, Our Correspondent

Speaking to reporters the morning after the rocket ex-plosions. Mr Shultz appeared in good humour and said he had had "a pretty good night's sleep".

It was not clear if the projectiles were actually aimed at the residence of Mr Robert Dillon, the American Ambassador to Lebanon, since there was heavy fighting in the hills directly east of Yarze between right-wing Christian and Leftist Druze Militiamen.

12 missiles fired in sub hunt

Stavanger (AP) - The Norwe-gian Navy yesterday fired 12 more anti-submarine Tern missiles and dropped one more depth charge in an intensified five-day hunt for a possible foreign submarine off the coast.

The Navy was also checking and analyzing an oil slick discovered in the same area where the 12 missiles were fired. Ten other Tern missiles were

fired by a frigate in the same area on Saturday. Mr Erik Senstad, the Defence Ministry's information officer, confirmed the new firings and said the surface fleet taking part in the hunt has been reinforced with a special diving vessel.

He said six missiles and the depth charge were fired at 4.30 pm and the next battery of six missiles an hour later.

Both rounds came in the southern part of Skaaneviksfjor-den about a mile and half off the southern tip of the island of Halsnoey. "The bomb and the 12

missiles blasts were ordered by a frigate captain after establishment of sonar and hydrophone echo sound contact with an underwater obejet believed to be a submarine," Mr Senstad

Earlier yesterday the navy had announced the discovery of an oil slick in Skaaneviksfjorden, Mr Senstad said.

"This oil slick may have originated from many sources. shore by the tide. It may also been tightened after three come from other sources, prisoners, including Mr Gerard including from a large oil tank the fjord during a tow recently. But we cannot quite exclude that it comes from a submar-

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Rare visitor

Birdwatchers queued for hours in Humberside to see a rare Hudsonian godwit from North America which had been sighted in Europe only once before

Lambay wins

Patrick Tambay, who had resigned himself to second place, was the surprise winner of the San Marino Grand Prix driving a Ferrari. Tambay is third in the world champion-

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Eight charged after rugby defeat fracas

Eight men are to appear in Gloucester court in Gloucester today after an incident in which a policeman was knocked unconscious, when police stopped a rugby team coach.
Players, officials and sup-

porters of the Banwen Club, near Neath, decided to have a night on the town after losing 46-7 to the Gloucester side, Longlevens.

vation.

Police stopped the team coach as it left Gloucester and ordered the driver to turn back to the city police station, some of the players allegedly began fighting with police on the coach, and three officers were injured. One was knocked unconscious and is likely to be category A prisoner he requires staff. Mr Martin was taken by off duty for several days.

Martin 'tried to kill himself'

By Stewart Tendler, Crime Reporter

authorities did not want to where his condition was at one David Martin, who is awaitleave him in a public hospital. stage serious. ing trial on 14 charges, including one of shooting a police-Last January Mr Martin was man, apparently attempted suicide, Brixton prison officials the centre of a police hunt in London after escaping from court. During the search Mr believe. Mr Martin regained consciousness last night after a Stephen Waldorf was mistaken drug overdose on Saturday, but was still under medical obserfor him in a police ambush in the street and shot. Mr Martin

was later recaptured at a north London Underground station. An investigation into the regime at the south London He was recently remanded to go on trial in September. On Saturday he was found unconprison's maximum security wing was under way yesterday. scious in his cell at 11 am. He Mr Martin, aged 35, was taken unconscious to King's College had risen as normal with other Hospital but was back yesterday prisoners but returned to his cell and appeared to fall asleep.

Prison officers tried to wake

The Home Office yesterday refused to say whether Mr Martin was under medication or whether drugs had been smuggled in to bim. The wing where he is housed is in effect a prison within a

prison with special regulations and precautions. The inquiry, by Mr Anthony Pearson, Brixton's governor, will have to It may be quite regular spill oil examine whether there are any from previous passing boats and now being carried to the Security within the wing has

Tuite, awaiting trial for Pro- the local people say was lost in visional IRA bombing offences, tunnelled their way to freedom. The wing's security includes close circuit television

Moderate coalfield leaders office in July, after the NUM is perfectly true that I have have lost their commanding policymaking conference has floated the idea that we should majority on the executive laid down the strategy for the consider selective strike action committee of the National coming year when Mr Ian if we have to take industrial

with a vital casting vote. Politic
The return of a known follows: The return of a known follows:

militant from the traditionallymoderate Durham coalfield means that the right-wing coalition which has dominated the union leadership for decades now ties 12-12 with the hard left coalition of that was purhamically means that the right-wing coalition which has dominated the union leadership for decades now ties 12-12 with the hard left coalition of that was purhamically means the property of t means that the right-wing coalition which has dominated the union leadership for decades now ties 12-12 with the hard left.

This is the first time since the national union was formed in 1944 that the moderates have not enjoyed an overall majority and the even split hands further power to Mr Scargill, whose rethinking their tactics after presidential casting vote will be suffering two humiliating de-

former power loader at Easing-ton colliery, to the Durham seat normally held by a moderate.

Instead of an all-out strike, which requires a 55 per cent which requires a 55 per cent majority in a pithead poll under

Mr Tom Callan, secretary of the Union's 220,000 members could union's 220,000 members could union's 220,000 members could be called out and paid full takehome wages financed by a working with the left on many

and angered Commons col-

leagues with a direct inter-

vention in a debate on the

Conservatives' Northern Ire-

land policy, in which he indicated clear hostility towards

The intervention came at a

private meeting of the Con-

servative backbench committee

on Northern Ireland last month

during a discussion on policy

Supporters of Mr James Prior, Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, were taken

aback by the argument that the

Assembly need not feature in the manifesto. But they were

even more surprised when Mr

Gow intervened to give a view

mittees, because of his ties with

for the election manifesto.

the Assembly.

Union of Mineworkers in MacGregor, chairman of British action. We should operate it in elections which leave Mr Arthur Steel, takes over as chairman of such a way that we call out the Scargill, the left-wing president, the National Coal Board. Politically, it will divide as

hamshire (1), South Derbyshire, Leicestershire, cokemen, Midlands craftsmen and the national white-collar group Colliery Officials and Staff Area.

This realignment at the top comes as NUM strategists are used to back the militants on industrial and political issues.

The unexpected shift in power comes after the election of Mr Billy Stobbs, aged 48, a former power loader at Easingsuffering two humiliating de-

pits such as those coming on

stream this month in the new Selby coalfield. Attitudes at

such collieries in recent ballots, however, have been strongly against industrial action.

that a root-and-branch reform

of area representation on the NUM executive will now be

The People's March for Jobs

The question of when to have

the collection has divided a

church, and led to a strike by

the choir.

The vicar said it should be

during the final hymn when the coin rattling and foot shuffling

Not so, the organist said. It should be during the vicar's sermon as it always had been.

The dispute has led to the dismissal of Mr Michael Hodge, the organist, and the choir of 20

Now the local bishop has

intervened to try to restore harmony to the parish of St

Neither the Rev Julian Cam,

the vicar, nor Mr Hodge was at

decided to take a fortnight's

vicar is trying to introduce high church practices here which we

The Rt Rev Peter Mumford,

and it was unanimous. The televisions.

Stephen-by-Saltash, Cornwall

has come out in sympathy.

the service yesterday.

would be drowned.

This strategic rethinking and the new balance of power on the executive makes it less likely

Mr Stobbs, chairman of the coastal pit union branch, beat two full-time officials to succeed considered. Up to 20,000 of the considered up to 20,000 of the considered considered to 20,000 of the con

work.

The new executive takes Mr Scargill said last night: "It



Mr Roger Miklos, a Florida salvage operator, with a plan of the 'special' U-boat he has found, and which he believes

U-boat find revives Nazi escape theory

crossed the border into England yesterday at Gretna Green, where the original 50 yellow-jacketed marchers from Glasgow to London were joined by a sirilar contingent from big the Second World War, lying sealed and intact in Caribbean waters, gives a new twist to the theory that Goering com-missioned nine U-boats as a means of escape for high-ranking officials of the Third Reich. The submarine, which was

found by an American salvage operator has only a brass plaque saying in German: "Hamburg, Germany Commissioned 1944". There is no visible registration number, and the craft bears no resemblance to any known design during the

Nor is there any record in the Imperial War Museum of a

Among the hazards awaiting

rain, broken street lamps,

houses in multiple-occupation, flats with entryphones, dog dirt

and, so the gossip in the

Yet canvassing remains the

basis of electioneering. For the past three or four weeks in all

the district councils areas.

alert their supporters.
The original theory was that

Mr Hodge has been relieved committee room goes, the of his duties and Mr Cam has occasional naked housewife. decided to take a fortnight's The rewards of canvassing

decided to take a lutangual holiday. The service was held are dubious. Psephologists say that knocking on doors has only the vicar of a neighbouring marish.

There are 20 people in the canvassers have been knocking and some have been and pushing bells in an effect to

the Bishop of Truro, said last night: I have had a long discussion with the Rev Cam on the day of poli they could be

about the situation in Saltash, alerted to go and vote. Now-

The discovery of an unre-that from sketches the design corded German U-boat from appears to be "unusual".

Roger Miklos, aged 41, who runs his own business, Nomad Salvage, operating off Florida, and who has spent the past few months scouring German museums for any record of its type.

interest was in the mercury that was aboard for ballast." after several dives and some research, he realized the submarine differed from the usual fighting class.

He says the U-boat is of the type 7V11 C-class which was extensively modified during the war. But none, he maintains, has the features of this one: German submarine being sunk, scuttled or mined near its conning tower positioned well location and library staff agree forward of mid-ship and linked interior removed, possibly enhis find, with a view to salvage.

Footslogging to the polls

By David Walker

LOCAL

On a rainy evening in Chelmsford, Essex, recently the

Liberals were active in one of

out from the ward committee

room, to work a set number of

streets according to specially-prepared lists of electors.

rooms, in fact, a helper's front

A team of three had been sent

their good areas, Lawns ward.

traditional.

on the day of poli they could be That evening most house. Tory, MP Mr No alerted to go and vote. Now-adays one suspects parties polite replies to the question: Liberals do well.

Sale room

- 21

to the bow with a large, route to South America with reinforced jagged ripping bar. excaping Nazi officials and The 250st craft, which weighs containing documents, and some 200 tonnes, is 80st down even gold bullion and art but hidden from the surface by a reef which forms a shelf over neurologist he has contacted a it, and by the breaking foam. It former U-boat commander, one a reef which forms a shelf over is perfectly preserved, Mr of the doctor's patients, who has Miklos says, and with no apparently confirmed that Mr damage as the result of the Miklos's plans conform with the ties of the waters it is in

He is convinced the U-boat is sealed, with the crew and 18 passengers inside it. The torpedo, deck and conning tower hatches are all closed and in the locked position, he says, and chamber has air in it.

Furthermore, he maintains his research backs the theory

"Is there Liberal support in the

though lit, did not answer and

between favouring Liberals and Conservatives, with the former

He is Chelmsford's Liberal

parliamentary candidate and he is looking forward to Thus-sday's poll for evidence of the

fragility of the Conservative vote. With new boundaries for

the constituency, the sitting

Tory, MP Mr Norman St John-

Stevas, has problems if the

Spanish words, as well as the

its mementos have become a

collecting cult in the United

States.
Sotheby's were selling the first and last part of the

"collection to end all collec-tions" formed by Barbara Johnson. The 500 lots of

whaling memorabilia sold on Saturday in two sessions real-ized £418,213 with 11 per cent

left unsold. The three sales devoted to the Johnson collec-

The second highest price on Saturday was for a document apparently signed by William Henry Harrison, President of the United States, 14 days after his death Harrison

his death. Harrison was president for only one month (during 1841) and only 12 presidential documents signed by him are

known to have survived.

The printed letter, in four

languages, authorizing the de-parture of a whaling vessel is clearly one of a batch of blank

forms signed by the President, the date being filled in after-

A Nevada dealer paid \$57,750 (estimate \$30,000 to

\$40,000) or £37,258 to secure it. Among the extraordinary prices paid for artifacts was the

\$19,800 (estimate \$3,000 to \$4,000) or £12,774 for a carved hickory whaling captain's cane. It is 35in long with a handle

carved to represent a dour-faced Nantocket ship's captain. There was a water bucket at \$9,350 (estimate \$3,000 to

Mr Peter Archer, shadow

Sotheby's by the American-owned Knoll International should be referred to the

\$5,000) or £6,032.

The old whaling industry and

journal itself.

Doorstep responses

the team left cards.

having a slight edge.

solidly Conservative.

Focus.

Some houses, even

treasures. Through a Hamburg specially-commissioned U-boat the commander saw being built

in Hamburg.

The plans were shown to several former U-boat commanders at their recent annual meeting, who confirmed that the boat resembled those commissioned to take Nazi officials and large amounts of

cargo to South America.

Mr Miklos has now come to

French go down

Three quarter final matches went as expected but in the fourth France, the Okympic champions, represented by C. Mole, canvasser and Mari, M. Perron, P. Chemia leader of the 22-strong Alliance and A. Smolski, A. Calderwood group of councillors, always and G. N. Breskal who levelled takes care to ask about the the scores. France won the play-

> In the semi-final France was involved in an agonizing finish when the US world champions, represented by Bill Eisenberg, Eddie Kantar, John Solodar and

France then counter attacked

B.D. Short, was opposed by an-EBU nominated team of former British internationals. EBU led 125-91 at the threequarter stage, but lost 156-158.

Quarter finate: US bt M. J. ALLEN 209-80 France bt K. E. Stanley 175-164, BEL. at T. Goldsmith, 170-115, EBU at M. Blank 141 88.

away for a laser

Science report

Seconds

A new pure laser light source capable of transmitting second has been invented by US scientists at Bell Labora research centre of American Telephone and Telegraph (ATT), the giant telecor

(ATT), the giant resecondunications company.

The new device, called the "cleaved compled-cavity" (abbreviated to Cs), not only produces high quality light but the laser can be switched between 10 different wavelengths more than a hillion lengths, more than a billion times in one second.

signal.
The fact that the device can

witch rapidly between one wavelength and another is exciting the scientists at ATT. By using that electronic characteristic it is possible to encode several comp signals on one beam of light.

The laser as an electronic

device for use in telecommuni cations has been gain stature in recent years becaus capacity to carry several thousand telephone signals at the same time, each represented by a light signal.

Lightwave communication (LWC), which the technique is called, will be at the core of most advanced telecommuni-

The light representing the substantial distances in the optical fibre cable without fading. The system requires over a given distance in comparison with ordinary forms of electronic trans-

According to ATT: "These are becoming the super high-ways of the information age. They are making it possible to bring a variety of new com-munications services reliably and economically into businesses and home

ATT launched its first lases in that application area in 1970 and considers the C1 as one of the most significant advances since then. It adds. The laser has already been used in a transmission experiment that set the world distance record. Unboosted signals generated by a Cs laser pulsing 420 million times per second have travelled a distance of 119 kilometres, about

75 miles, error free." The device invented by the technical staff at Bell Laboratories is, the inventors say: "The first practical communications laser whose output can be tuned electronically from one altra-pure frequency to another. This device sought another. Instance sought after by lightwave researchers throughout the world, represents an exciting technological breakthrough."

However, the laser has just

graduated from the laboratory. Before it is used by ATT is routine service on the telecommunications networks its stablity and operating lifetime, and many other aspects of its performance will need to be tested in the months ahead.



fighting

English Bridge Union competition by Continental Life lived up to the highest expectations in Leeds at the weekend, when world-class players opposed four English teams, qualifiers from a field of 300.

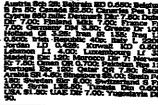
In Chelmsford, the Liberals are buoyed by the prospect of taking control of the council which has until recently been As part of his patter Mr

Liberais' community hand-out off 173-164.

Dave Berkovitz, led 134-99 at the threequarter stage. with great spirit, leading by one

point to force a draw, as the US won 158-157. In the other semi-final the British team, C.Duckworth, D. G. W. Price, A. H. Duncan and

Awards for BBC The European Television Magazine Association has awarded prizes to the BBC for its Falklands coverage and for its relevision documentary series on the police.





Jean François Millet: La Becquée, signed, pastel, 12% by 10%in.

One of three paintings by the artist to be sold by Christie's in New York on Friday, 27 May.

These three paintings are now on view at Christie's, King Street, St. James's until Friday, 6 May.

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Thatcher aide upsets Choir walks out in row **Prior's supporters** with vicar

Mr Ian Gow, the Prime Minister was hardly an enthusi-Minister's parliamentary private secretary, has surprised astic supporter of the Assembly. Mr Gow upset senior Conserva-tive MPs, during the passage of the original legislation, with his encouragement of Assembly opponents behind-the-scenes. But Mr Gow's latest, open

intervention is seen as a significant widening of the Thatcher-Prior cold war. Committee sources said last night that although he was a regular and assiduous attender at the committee, they could not recall any previous contri-bution made by Mr Gow. It was said that he normally confined himself to passing notes to his

allies, using others as a mouthon the committee agreed that it would not be possible to omit all mention of the Assembly, on future policy, without mentioning the Assembly. It was stated last night that it which remains the central feature of the Government's was "just not good form" for the Prime Minister's aide to intervene in backbench com-

long-term policy for Northern Mrs Margaret Thatcher and the danger that his views might be identified with an official line from No 10.

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Talks on Nissan plant

said yesterday that the June with the British project. He visit would be one of a series of added: "We are rapidly beginquarterly meetings held since ning to see an unturn in the Nissan decided nine months British economy and the time is

By Derek Harris, Commercial Editor

manufacturer is to send a over the weekend that next manufacturer is so said a over the weeken that he regularing team for talks in month's meeting could signal a Whitehall early next month to real revival in Nissan's interest make a fresh appraisal of In Tokyo there were reports Nissan's shelved plan to build a that Nissan would follow up the

merce in Britain, said he The Department of Industry believed Nissan would proceed

being either in Teesside or Japanese Chamber of Com-South Wales.

ago to postpone a decision on ripe for us to invest in the the plant. But there were growth of your country."

car plant in Britain.

The £500m manufacturing plant could create more than 5,000 jobs, the likeliest sites

June meeting with further exploratory talks in July,

In London Mr Shinroku

Morohashi President of the

It is known that the Prime

Nissan, the Japanese car indications in Japan and Britain

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At the Hotel Richemond

Saturday, 7 May to Thursday, 12 May. A week of Sales:

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A selection of Jewellery from the Estate of Irene Martin

to be sold in New York on June 7, 1983 will be on view at the Hotel Richemond.

7th Rare Wines at 6.30pm.

Deco at 5pm and 8pm.

8th Art Nouveau and Art

9th Fine European Por-

10th Clocks and Watches at

10th Objects of Vertu and

5th at 10.30 am Scientific Instruments, Fine Clocks and Watches. 6th at 11 am Fine Victorian

10th Important Gold Boxes

at 9pm. 11th Russian Works of Art

at 10.30am. 11th Works of Art by Carl

Faberge at 3pm. 11th at 8pm and 12th at

3pm and 5pm Magnificent

12th European Silver at

End of the **Astor** 'romance'

which is a very delicate one."

By Geraldine Norman Sale Room Correspondent

One of the most grandiose follies of the Edwardian era, the collection of arms, armour and Waldof, 1st, Viscount Astor, is to be dispersed for good at Sotheby's on Thursday and Friday. The total value is estimated at £1.8m.

William Waldorf acquired them to embellish lever Castle, in Kept, which he brought in

in Kent, which he bought in 1903, enthused by its associations with Anne Boleyn who passed her childhood there before tragically catching the eye of King Henry VIII.

The collection is packed with pieces that have historic associations, real or imagined, for he

was a true romantic.

The centrepiece of the sale is the superbly wrought suit of Milanese armour made for King Henry II of France around 1540-1545, and now valued at £500,000. The King was one of the most demanding and enthusiastic patron's of the arounter's art, but he was clearly particularly proud of this elaborate Mannerist suit made for him by Giovanni Paoli Negroli, since a portrait of him wearing the armour was painted

by Jean Clouet. This is not the only suit of armour for which the historical associations are attested by a contemporary portrait. The Flemish three quarter armour, the plates etched and gilt with a pattern of laurel branches and interlacing snakes, was made for Henry Wriothesley, Earl of Southampton, best known as

Shakespear's patron. . It is thought to have been made in Antwerp in the first quarter of the seventeenth which William Waldorf be-century and the Duke of lieved once belonged to Eliza-Portland owns a full-length beth's tragic enemy, Mary portrait of the Earl wearing the Queen of Scots.



gorget, with the helmet and cuirass at his side. The appearance of any fine suit of armour on the market has become an "event" in recent years. There are no less than 14 in this week's sale.

The finest surviving English sword of the Elizabethan period is another star, the hilt decorated with silver masks and scrollwork, but its association with the Queen has been downgraded by Sotheby's to "traditionally presented by Queen Elizabeth I to a member of the Weatherby family".

Among the works of art is a fourteenth century ivory casket which William Waldorf be-

£53,226 journal

A journal kept by Captain French and continental furni-Reuben Russell, the master of a sailing ship in the 1840s, was sold at Sotheby's in New York on Saturday for \$82,500 (estimate \$35,000 to \$50,000) or

Captain Russell's voyage to the Pacific whaling grounds on the Susan lasted from December, 1841, to May, 1846. The owned Knoll International volume contains seven full-page watercolours and 70 small ones,

for whaler's

Monopolies and Mergers Commission (the Press Associlists of whales, lists of boats encountered and a glossary of ation reports).

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Housing courts urged by surveyors to speed tenants' claims

A special court to handle only special courts would be employed by the Government in prosecutions covering harassan attempt to speed claims from Housing, is looking at proposals cations for posses submitted by the Royal Insti-tution of Chartered Surveyors or improvement of homes. hich call for the special courts.

receiving some Conservative tory powers and be able to backbench support, the courts enforce their decisions such as would be set up in parallel with making landlords undertake existing county courts. At the repairs and necessary improve-moment housing disputes are ments. referred to county courts or, in The courts should consist of some cases, to magistrates and three part-time members drawn

expensive for the people in produce the best solution, the institution says. would handle admini Among the disputes the and hear difficult cases.

may spread

Aids illness

By Pearce Wright Science Editor

spread from the United States

a letter in the latest issue of The

Lancet. It describes the contrac-

tion of Aids by three bacmo-

philiacs who were treated with blood which included concen-

trates from commercial sources of plasma containing Factor VIII, which is the product vital

for the stimulation of clotting.

The haemophiliacs who are

in hospital in Seville, are the first reported cases of Aids in

A report in the Mail on Sunday that two haemophiliacs,

one in London and one in

the centre when a case of Aids

came under their care was made

in the last issue of the British

Medical Journal where prefimi-

England and Wales were de-

There were no naemonhiliac

sufferers among those patients, but 11 cases of Aids among

haemophiliacs who had all received Factor VIII concea-

from handling blood or other human materials of a suspect as

they do when treating infectious

hepatitis and similar virulent

appeared in the United States

almost simultaneously in 1981

among the homosexual populations of New York, San Francisco and Los Angeles.

Duchess home

The Duchess of Kent left the

King Edward VII's Hospital for Officers in London vesterday

to remove an ovarian cyst. She

has returned to York House to

convalesce.

Disease Control

The fears have been raised hy

o Europe via blood banks.

tenants in council and pri- right to buy legislation, vately-owned property. Mr compulsory purchase proposals, John Stanley, the Minister for rent tribunal appeals, appli-

The courts should consist of rven the High Court.

Rent appeals go to rent housing law and practice. The issessment committees and panel could consist of lawyers, comeless persons' disputes go qualified valuers, architects, o panels of referees. The chartered building surveyors, and the chartered building surveyors, homeless persons disputes go qualified valuers, architects, to panels of referees. The chartered building surveyors, system is complicated and and other housing professionals. At the same time there would dispute and does not always be a full-time president and a group of full-time members who process so that it might take a would handle administration persistent council tenant as long

tive MP for Tantworth and Lichfield, and channan of the ment, appeals arising from the Tory backbench environment right to buy legislation, committee said yesterday that committee said yesterday that he thought such courts would do much to speed the process of tion of Chartered Surveyors or improvement of manages.

It is proposed that housing heel. The threat of being taken hich call for the special courts. It is proposed that housing heel. The threat of being taken Under the scheme, which is courts should have full statu- to a housing court would tory nowers and be able to concentrate the mind wonderfully of a recalcitrant local authority. Mr Heddle said.

> The housing court could be used to hear complaints from council tenants who want to exercise their rights under the Housing Act, 1980, giving them the opportunity to buy their

Some local authorities are either ignoring applications under the right-to-buy scheme or simply slowing down the as two years to aquire his home

Blood banks | Falklands fund row on mother's claim

A report of three cases of ciency syndrome) in haemo-philiacs suggests that the in-curable infection could have

That was disclosed yesterday Three single women who had as the fund became embroiled children after their relationships daughter aged seven months and their children from the who was fathered, she claimed, fund.

by Marine Stephen McAndrews, aged 22, a backelor, who died in the Falklands war.

Mrs Barker's case is being pursued by Dr David Owen, the Social Democratic MP for

Mrs Dawn Barker, aged 21, was rejected by the South Atlantic Fund because it said there was no proof that she was dependent on Marine was dependent on Marine McAndrews or that he was the father of her daughter, Sarah, who was born after the Falkland

Mrs Barker is still married, Cardiff, had also contracted the but is seeking a divorce from disease through blood trans-fusions could not be confirmed her husband, who pays main-tenance. She has another child, vesterday by the Department of

Nor have those cases been reported to the Centre for bopes to marry her made his mother som benefited hopes to marry her hopes of Royal Marines and had been no mention, sources in Trymolish where was the Marine Mary McNeil claimed, of Mrs. An appeal to doctors to notify

nary findings of 14 patients suffering from the infection in

The South Atlantic Fund has Manines were ready to assist paid a substantial amount to claims to the South Atlantic three single mothers whose Fund once it had been proven. illegitimate children were in the case of illegitimate fathered by Royal Marines children, that their fathers had killed in the Falklands.

in a dispute over a married with Marines killed in the woman who claimed that it had Falklands, had received subrefused her cash support for her stantial amounts for themselves

pursued by Dr David Owen, the Social Democratic MP for Plymouth, Devonport, who called the fund's attitude "insensitive and bureancratic".

Yesterday, however, Mrs Ann McNeil, of Wythenshawe, Manchester, Marine McAnd-rews' mother dissociated herself from Mrs Barker's claim. "The whole thing is utterly disgusting. My son's name is being dragged

Mrs McNeil said that her son of her marriage, and after Marine McAndrews's death, is now living with Mr Jeff Little, another former Marine, who have to marry here.

McAndrews was a member of Barker even though he knew 40 Commando, she has applied she was pregnant, and despite twice so the South Atlanctic Mrs. Barker's claim that they Fund, and each time has been had lived together for six the father, and that they had The source yesterday were planned to many after her enxions to point out that the divorce.

Job switch advice to medical students

20,000 young doctors on the perfectly possible." dole by the year 2000, medical intake of medical students at

- Speaking in Glasgow, Mr Douglas Gentleman, a registrar in neurosurgery and deputy chairman of the British Medical

He told a conference of European junior hospital doc-tors that between 2,000 and tors that between 2,000 and stated quite firmly that they do 3,000 doctors were likely to be not intend to spead more out of work this year in Britain. money on health care, and so "and that is possibly an cutting back on the number of underestimate, as a lot of doctors we produce is the only doctors are reluctant to sign on answer."

Britain could have up to 29,000 jobless doctors would be

Dr Sheila Madsen, representcent. She added that it costs around £70,000 to train a medical student. You could possibly train two people for a

same figure. "The Government have money on health care, and so



A good chukka, but not so pukka

Elephant polo seems to have a limited future. Not even its most diebard supporters, who took to their more traditional mounts at the weekend with the advent of the English polo season, expect the giant beasts soon to be lumbering around Cowdray Park for a chukka or two.

There are one or two difficulties, as the world elephant polo championships near Katmandu, Nepal, last month showed. Elephants can be

to Britain

way back to an old haust or is

other one blown across the

The bird at Blacktoft Sands

is in full summer plumage, with rust-red underparts which

are darker than the underparts

of the two types of godwir - the black-tailed and bar-tailed -

South America

cantankerous and it requires a mahout, or driver, to wrap his legs round the animal's neck and whisper endearments into the ear to prevent it heading off for the nearest succelent

The player, there are four elephants a side and a referee, sits behind the mahout, wielding a polo stick up to games were restricted to two 10-min-eight feet in length. Behind him ute chukkas, instead of the normal

prevent the other two falling off. The elephant on the left carries an officer

found the heat overwhelming. So the games were restricted to two 10-minanother rider perches precariously to four seven-minute ones in pony polo.

from the British Gurkha Gladiators (Hannibal's Own) while that on the right is from Pan Am's Jumbo's, who were eventually defeated in the final by Tiger Tops Tuskers.

The elephants, moving at two mph

Rare godwit £640,000 arts fund for theatre returns

side queued for up to three hours in the rain at the weekend to see a rare visitor from North America. The bird which has brought enthusiasts from all over theatres envisaged to take place with the council's help during which normally would be preparing for the nesting ison on the Canadian tundra the rest of this century.

The provision of a permading the winter in nent purpose-built repertory The godwit has come to the same spot, Blacktoft Sands nature reserve, near Goole, and the council's regional where one appeared in September, 1981, the first recorded in Europe.

It is not known whether this latest sighting involves the same bird which has found its

housing the arts fund, towards the building of the New Victoria an agreement with the local London theatre in difficulties.

Theatre in Stoke-on-Trent.

The grant is conditional on Although it is not the only London theatre in difficulties, authorities in which they would the Nefw End, which became a It represents a decision after estimated cost of £3.2m, and ago after its life as the years of negotiation on one of also on agreement on the last two main building division of the theatre's subsidy market for about £200,000. requirement.

Last year, the council made a grant of £600,000 towards the cost of improving and extend-ing facilities at the Grand Theatre, Swansea, South Wales. theatre in Stoke-on-Trent has Before that the largest grant for been discussed since the 1960s, a new theatre building was and the council's regional £500,000 for the Theatre Royal, director, Mr David Pratley, was Plymouth, which opened last delighted. We look forward year. The one remaining project with confidence to a new yet to be agreed is for the Leeds theatre-in-the-round developing Playhouse.

The Arts Council has agreed further Stoke's tradition of to make a grant of £640,000, the exciting and innovative theatre Hampstead, which was largest sum allocated from its in the West Midlands." formerly a mortuary, is for sale.

> recently had Judi Dench and Steven Berkoff among its players, is being sold "with the large public subsistancess" by Mr Colin Serlin, its goes to them each year. owner. "I hope the new owner will continue with theatrical

Verdi opera cancelled by Covent Garden

Financial difficulties have caused the Royal Opera House Covent Garden to cancel one of its new productions for the next

Verdi's La Forza del Destino was to have been produced by Rudolph Noelte of West Germ-

planning stage.

Covent Garden, which confirmed the decision yesterday, is to announce its programme for next season, which runs from autumn this year to the summer of 1984, on May 17.

The cancellation is the late sign that the three sources of Royal Opera House income public subsidy, private sponsor-ship and box office receipts -

The present season has had only two new productions, including Puccini's Manon Lescaut, which opens with a gala performance attended by Queen Elizabeth the Queen Mother tomorrow and stars two of the greatest operatic draws, Placido Domíngo and Kiri te

Kanawa. Covent Garden's decision to foreshadowed last November when Sir Claus Moser, the Royal Opera House chairman, announced that increases in economic recession meant the prospect of fewer productions

He said then that Covent Garden was examining the cancellation of new productions as an alternative to lowering its

international standards. For 1983-84 the Royal Opera House has received a grant from the Government of £10.25m, which covers not only the opera but also the Royal Ballet and the Sadler's Wells Ballet. It has also been given a grant of £200,000 towards the cost of a visit to Manchester in the

In spite of this sum, which represents a 7.3 per cent increase on the total for 1982-83, the Opera House is left with very little more money.

Mr Paul Findlay, assistant director, has pointed out that because of increased commitments the amount of money it has received is only £20,000 more than for the previous year. He says that Covent Garden still faces a likely shortfall of £700,000 by March, 1984.

The Royal Opera House and the Royal Shakespeare Company are now the subject of financial scrutiny by the Government. The investigation was set up by Mr Paul which has in February to examine their Dench and financial affairs in the light of its increased public concern about with the large public subsidy which

will continue with ineatrical left moscow and entertainment, although it is likely that some form of restaurant will need to be incorporated to increase commercial viability."

Leningrad will stage the 1986 world championship. There will be no separate World Championship next year because of the Winter Olympics the 1985 tournament is scheduled for Prague.

trate have been reported to the United States Centre for Atlantic by strong winds. dole by the year 2000, income of the year 2000. They experts claimed yesterday. They save a warning that large sums countries represented at the of money could be wasted if the countries represented at the conference. Each association is Hadsonian godwits, which are large wading birds, are scarce in North America. The link with transfusions of Factor VIII concentrates indicates that Aids may be trans-Their numbers were heavily reduced by hunting before they mitted by a blood-borne virus. Medical staff are being advised to use the same rigorous procedures to avoid infection became protected

Association's hospital junior staff committee, suggested that students should go for professions such as computing or engineering instead of medi-

after an operation on April 20 the dole", Mr Gentleman said.

to approach its own Govern-ment to call for a reduction in

ing the west of Scotland, said the annual university intake figure of almost 4,000 students profession in science for the

The number of doctors on the "If the present student intake dole in Britain was 300 in 1979 continues 1 think a figure of and 1,500 last year.



A large wader: The Hnd-

denies that there is any to

That collection of powers

Challenge over wildlife sites

By Hugh Clayton

An ominous constitutional question lies behind the public argument between farmers and naturalists about protecting wildlife in the countryside. It could strike at the heart of the jealously gnarded statutory right of the Nature Conservancy Council to decide whether a piece of land descryes to become an official site of special scientific interest.

That right came under attack last year when Conservative MPs protested to ministers about the council's decision to declare 2,500 acres of West Sedgemoor such a site. Ministers agreed with the council that the Wildlife and Countryside Act, 1981, gave it the sole right to decide whether a declaration was justified.

Such sites are the main way of protecting wildlife from the steady encroachment of industry, suburbs, blanket forestry site is declared, the council can almost no hope of appeal. negotiate an agreement for the owner to safeguard the scientific

Woodland sale a 'charade'

land.

The Nature Conservancy Council is helping naturally to buy woods in the nationalized timber-producing indus-try managed by the Forestry Commission, The Society is an umbrella organization for county esturalists treats, some of whom are negetiating to buy about 60 sites through-out Britain, of which all but one have been declared by the council to have special scientific interest. The commission owns 10 of the sites, covering

buy three woods important to wildlife. They are in South Wales, northern and eastern England and are all official sites of special scientific "It is idiotic to put such sites, on the market", Dr

Perring said. "They are part of the national heritage." He of importance to wildlife to be handed over to the council or to trasts and not sold as part of the general "privatization" of state woodlands.

council to consult ministers

before designating a piece of

return for not doing something

that would damage the scientific

interests: It also gives the

pports the food plants of icate insects. Farmers dislike the system because it appears to y, suburbs, blanket forestry give the council powers over. But it does enable the council intensive farming. Once a their land against which there is to offer money to the owner in

The conservancy council has

700 acres, worth about

The Act allows the council to interest.

That might mean not draintiffe interest" is and when a compulsory purchase when the ing land used by water birds or particular piece of land has it.

The Act does not require the protect the scientific interests or

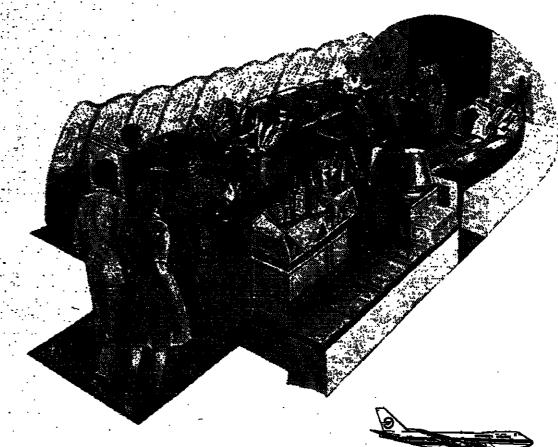
worries the investigators who agreed to pay almost £20,000 towards a total of £70,000 to

have just finished a "Rayner review" of the council on the pattern of the searches for waste in the Civil Service begun by Sir Derek Rayner. The investigators reasoned that declaration of an official site can trigger off a piece of public spending. Yet the council's sole right to designate has placed that type of public spending outside the direct control of the Govern-

They therefore advised the council in their unpublished Department of the Environment a joint endorsement of the criteria for deciding what amounts to "special scientific

There could soon be an angr debate behind the scenes. The Rayner team's recommendation raises a constitutional nightmare for the council which doe not want to surrender one of its central powers. Naturalists will want to ensure that nothing concrees from the Rayner chances of survival of severa wild-species.

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Computers help immigration service to keep watch

By Clive Cookson, Technology Correspondent

puter Recognition Systems. They are due to be installed at Dover East this summer. A

third pair will go into Garwick

2. A minicomputer installed in

August, 1981, at the Immi-

Service Intelligence

gration Service Intelligence Unit at Harmondsworth, near Heathrow, holds the names and personal details of 300,000

10pm by immigration officers who respond to telephone

inquiries from colleagues work-ing at entry points. Officers on duty during the night, therefore,

have no access to the system;

they have to use their indepen-

dent judgment whether to admit suspicious foreigners. 3. The oldest project is the

Immigration and Nationality Department Electronic Com-puter System (INDECS). It has

data processing centre in Bootle. Merseyside.

subject to immigration control.

The system was inaugurated with high hopes that it would be

at showing up people who stay

airport later this year.

The immigration service is machine also detects forged or preparing plans for a national altered documents. computer system that would A different pair of passport eventually put an electronic reading terminal on all 500 immigration developed by Fortronic, the control desks at Britain's air Scottish firm, incorporating an and sea ports. Arriving passen-advanced new optical character, gers would be processed more recognition element made by a quickly and checked against a small English company, Commore comprehensive list of unwanted visitors than is

Until 1980 Britain controlled the entry of foreign visitors with almost no computer assistance. Since then the Immigration and Nationality Department (part of the Home Office) has started three separate and limited computer projects. It is now evaluating them and formulat-ing a strategy for futere computerization.

personal details of 300,000 people who have abused or attempted to abuse the immigration laws, been refused entry to Britain or been deported. The Harmondsworth files are a back-up to the 18,000 names on the main warning list. The computer (made by Prime, an American firm,) has three VDUs for information retrieval. They are manned from 7am to 10 nm by immigration officers Although the outcome will not be clear until next year, the technical arguments for linking network seem overwhelming.

Civil liberties

However, there is no ques-tion of connecting immigration computers to any systems run by the police or other public agencies. That could have advantages for law enforcement but the idea arouses concern about the possible infringement of civil liberues.

The three immigration computer projects, are: 1. The world's first pair of automatic passport reading machines. They have been working for three months at Heathrow airport. They only read American passports because the United States is the sole country so far to have INDECS automates the pairing issued documents with a standard type-face readable by computer. Britain and other pleted by passengers who are members of the EEC are not

due to issue machine-readable passports before 1985. An American who arrives with faster and more efficient than a recent passport is processed the previous "by hand" method very quickly. The immigration at showing up people who stay officer pushes it into a slot in in Britain longer than permitthe terminal (manufactured by ted. ICL with support from the That aspect of INDECS has not Department of Industry) and come up to expectation, because within a second or two his it still has an error rate of 2 to 3 personal details are on the per cent,

transmits an electronic "key-word" to a microcomputer near by which holds described the best of the be word" to a microcomputer near However, INDECS is prov-by which holds details of ing unexpectedly successful in Americans who appear on the providing prompt statistical in Prince Charles Hospital, immigration service's warning information about the flow of list of the 18.000 least wanted foreigners. It can alert the the providing prompt statistical ill in Prince Charles Hospital, Merthyr Tydfil, South Wales, yesterday with suspected immigration service to any typhoid. Her husband and sudden influx of people from the public good mublic good represent a serious threat to the sudden influx of people from the providing prompt statistical ill in Prince Charles Hospital, Merthyr Tydfil, South Wales, yesterday with suspected immigration service to any typhoid. Her husband and daughter are under observation public good, public order or particular countries.

national security and might not The service hopes to have its otherwise be identified". Nor- computer strategy in place by Rail return mally the immigration officer early next year. has to check manually in a large

In the event that the keyword see the outlines of a fully corresponds to someone on the computerized service, warning list, more details will elements of the three existing be displayed and the officer can projects, which could be work-take appropriate action. The ing by the end of the decade.

Cars ablaze | Two debtor as mob lays siege to pub

By Richard Ford Detectives in the Irish Republic vesterday were investi-gating the motive behind a riot outside a public house in which

About 200 people laid siege to the public house at Finglas, north Dublin, on Saturday night. At the height of the disturbances two sections of the

fire brigade were stopped from reaching the blazing vehicles. None of the staff or customers in the public house was injured in the attack which ended when 80 policemen dispersed the crowd.

A mother and her teenage

son were in serious conditions in hospital yesterday with bullet wounds after an attack at their home in which a caretaker was murdered.

murdered.

The police were at the bedside of Mrs Mary Galway, aged 58, and her son, David, aged 18, hoping they would give them clues to the apparently motiveless murder at their home in the grounds of Downey House Preparatory School in a "lovelity" area of south Belfart loyalist" area of south Belfast. The injured woman's hus-band, Mr David Galway, aged

61. was shot dead early on Saturday during the raid An air and sea search began off the coast of Northern Ireland yesterday for an over-due fishing trawler from co Donegal in the republic. Thirty boats from the fishing fleet based at Greencastie on the shores of Lough Foyle joined in a search of an area of 3,500 square miles off the Scottish island of Islay, the last known position of the trawler Ardcarna, with five crew on board.

been running since August, 1980, on large ICL 2960 machines at the Home Office Foot-and-mouth alert at farm

Movement of animals within a five-mile radius of a farm near Truro, in Cornwall, was restricted at the weekend because of a possible outbreak of foot-andmouth disease.

The Ministry of Agriculture said yesterday that the farmer had reported that one of his cows had boils in its mouth. Preliminary tests were negative, but the results of further tests would be known today.

Typhoid suspect

A woman aged 26 who returned recently from a holiday in Pakistan was seriously

Although no decisions have been made yet, it is possible to A Victorian railway carriage, used for the past 64 years as a seaside holiday home, is to be restored, for £10,000, and brought back into service by the Bluebell Railway Preservation

Architecture

Red herring of medievalism

By Charles McKean Architecture Correspondent

The architect of the new building at 66 St James's Street, off Piccadilly, believes that his design "evokes a medieval feeling appropriate to its historic London setting". That is just one of several curiosities regarding this unusual structure.

The claim is curious for three reasons: first, why Tripes Architects should believe that a medieval feeling should be appropriate here; in a part of London which, barring the Tudor brick palace at the bottom of the hill, is the centre of clubland, and redolent of the late seventeenth and early eighteenth centuries.

The only medievalisms that occurred here were those perpetrated by the late nineteenth century. The second, even greater curiosity, is what makes the designer believe that his structure exudes anything medieval at all.

The final curiosity, I suppose, is why the designer finds it necessary to make such a palpably unlikely comparison to defend a strongly modern design. The partner in charge, partner of the RIBA president, Mr. Owen Mr Rodney Gordon, was once a Mr Owen Luder, a man preferring to defend modern design in its own terms.

Is there, in fact, any medievalism in the building? The structure is bronzed metal infilled with glass, so it cannot be the materials. It is a fivestorey corner building, with a two-storey attic space: fairly standard West End size and proportions: so it cannot be

The only unusual feature so far is the use of those materials for this type of infill block in this rightly controlled location, but that is not medieval.

So, is it the plan? At last, a faint gesture to the past there are towers at each corner, billowing out from the main facade, but hardly sufficient to justify the term medieval.

Had the towers been capped by crenellations, parapets, a cap house and a flagpole, then the connexion might have been made. But, instead, their tops have been sliced off like



fingertips with a sharp potato knife: simply to look at them makes the observer say "ouch". If one looks for a reasonably accurate metaphor for this building, it must be something to do with the space programme; particularly the way the top of the building, instead of ending firmly as a building should with a cornice or roof, tapers away into the sky. The materials and mechanistic proportions all tend toward the same image.

But such an image would not be acceptable to the public in this location. Its predecessor, Map House, was equally intrusive in its day. Brick and stone, turrets and mullioned windows, was the usual second rate Edwardian baronial building that everybody would press to preserve in terror of the alternative. With unusual courage for London, the council

permitted the alternative. How does it compare with Map House? Pretty well. It street. lacks, of course, the intricate detail and sense of proportion; but it gains in strength of character except at the top.

What clearly happened at the

top is interesting. There is a cornice and roof line. Most buildings are able to set back a social origins.

The Egyptian Council accused Mr Heykal of degrading journalistic ethics and impugning the honour of Egypt, its people and armed forces.

Mana "close to the President began quarrelling and accusing one another. "The outcry against corruption was so great that they had to put Ismat on trial," he said. "A dog had to be thrown to the wolves. But you mansard above the cornice line; this building, without the differentiation a cornice provides, simply slopes back, whereas the inherent character of the building should have indicated a projection at this point turret-wise Interior Minister, was quoted on Friday by Al Akhbar, a mass-

In other words, the planning authority could not quite come to terms with the dichotomy of having, on the one hand, the general height restraints for this district and, on the other, permitting a building of this distinctive nature. The compromise result, at skyline level, is

clearly its weakest point.
The "medieval" gesture is a red herring and a sign that the architects think that the public will not accept the truth. It is a modern building, and a suitable if vulgar replacement for what must have been, in its time, an appalling solecism in this august

It is a more than usually forceful representative of modern architecture in London, and carried through with some

nations put blame on West

From John Carlin Mexico City

The presidents of Mexico and Brazil, the two leading nations in Latin America, and two of a mob set four cars and a van alight trapping staff and customers inside.

In Laun America, and two of the most indebted in the world, ended a series of meetings last week in Cancin, on Mexico's Caribbean coast, with a challenge to the developed nations and a call for additional credit

In a toughly worded joint statement, which President Mignel De La Madrid and President João Figureido have named "The Cancún Declar-ation" the two countries said the present world economic crisis was the product of measures taken unilaterally by the developed nations.

"The Latin American nations are not prepared to accept the high social and economic costs which these measures provoke."

the statement says.

Making a call for reopening the dialogue between North and South, the Cancin Declaration says the world recession "obliges Latin America to stand up to growing protectionism, in the markets of the developed countries, to high interest rates and to a shortage of financial

In consequence "our countries urgently demand effective measures which will lead to . . . the provision of sufficient financial resources under ad-equate conditions."

The words "under adequate conditions" are crucial. Both Mexico and Brazil have re-ceived loans of more than \$5 billion (£3.3m) this year alone from the international financial community, but the loans have been secured at the expense of both higher than normal interest rates and austerity measures imposed by the International Monetary Fund – on the two countries' economies.

The interest payments on their debts, which combined exceed \$170 billion, have severely stunted the growth of their economies.

Mexico averaged 8 per cent growth during the 1970s but this year, with no money left over after the debt payments to channel into industry, the Government will be happy if it can keep the economy at zero

The IMF's severe belt-tightening measures have provokd indignation among both Mexicans and Brazilians who, with unemployment beginning to bite, see prices soaring, almost daily, above wages. The Mexican Government is acutely conscious of the potential political upheaval which could result from escalation of social

It is not clear yet when, or in what form, these additional

firmly denied by a senior

government prosecutor.

Mr Heykal is the author of

Autumn of Fury an account of

which has raised a storm of

protest in Egypt and been condemned by the Press Coun-

vished to prevent publication

of his book. The recent trial for corruption of Mr Ismat Sadat,

the late President's half-brother,

had been "a very big dose" for Egypt to swallow and the

Government was anxious to

Published recently by André

Deutsch in London. Autumn of Fury seeks to explain Sadat's

assassination by militant Isla-mic soldiers in 1981 in terms of

his suppression of religious and

political groups, his contro-versial economic and foreign policies, and his personality. Much of the criticism of the

book has concentrated on its analysis of Sadat's character, particularly his ethnic and

Mr Hassan Abu-Basha, the

The Prince and Princess of

Los Angeles yesterday en route

couple's press secretary, said the

Prince and Princess and their

baby had slept for much of the

The Boeing 747 landed

briefly in Papetee, Tahiti, to refuel. None of the royal party

left the aircraft at the stop.

stem "a tidal wave".



Family tributes: Relatives of the Argentine war dead place flowers on the Lago Lacar to be cast into the South Atlantic.

Argentine mourners set sail

An Argentine Navy ship, an Air Force plane and the merchant ship Lago Lacar were due to converge yesterday in the South Atlantic at the site where the cruiser General Belgrano was torpedoed and sunk by a British submarine a

The ship and aircraft will pay homage to the Argentine dead in last year's Falklands war, representing the armed forces as a whole. The Lago Lacar, chartered by the private Lacar, chartered by the private group the Centre for Volunteers for the Motherland, will do the same and will then proceed to navigate along the perimeter of Britain's protected

perimeter of Britain's pro-tected 20ne

The Lago Lacar is carrying about 50 relatives of the Argentine war dead and is laden with flowers to be thrown into the sea in a memorial ceremony today.
President Reynaldo Bignone
and the ruling military junta
have banned any memorial act for Argentine war dead other than that planned by the armed forces at the spot where the General Belgrano was

Señor Osvaldo Destefanis, who was on board the Lago Lacar when she left, told a

Heykal says evidence withheld

Cairo denies Sadat cover-up

From Robert Holloway, Cairo Mr Mohamed Hassanein ban on the book, it would not widow) but he is not submitting Heykal, one of Egypt's most be allowed into Egypt for sale, them I know for sure that there

after one issue saying that it had

been subject to government

editor of Al Ahram, Egypt's

leading newspaper, said that he expected a hostile reaction. However, he told *The Times*:

The Court of Ethics upheld

orders on February 12 detaining Mr Sadat and three of his sons

for 12 months and sequestering

their property, which it said was worth about £100m and unlaw-fully obtained. Publication of

the court's reasons one month

later led to the dismissal of two

Cabinet ministers and President

Mubarak ordered an investi-

gation of two dozen senior

officials who were accused by the court of failing to act against

In Mr Heykal's view, the trial

was not part of a campaign to "de-Sadatise", but occurred because "groups among a Mafia" close to the President

thrown to the wolves. But you

cannot allow all doors to be

opened at once. I know for sure

that the socialist prosecutor has

Royal couple get away from it all

During his parents' 10-day

holiday in the Bahamas, the Prince will be cared for at the

couple's home in Kensington

The Princess spent some of the flight writing letters while

Wales with their 10-month-old Princess spent some time reading a history book.

Mr Heykal, a former Minister

influential journalists and a Foreign newspapers serializing are dossiers on others, one-time confidant of the late it including *The Sunday Times*, Mr Hosni Abdelha President Sadat, has claimed disappeared from the news-

that the authorities are withholding evidence which might
incriminate some of Sadat's
relatives. His allegation was Ahali, suspended publication

the assassination of Sadat of Information and one-time

in an interview with The Times. The said the evidence as devastating as the legal against Sadat's brothers-in-law reasons given for the verdict in was withheld for the same reason that the authorities wished to prevent multication.

circulation newspaper, as saying full dossiers on the brothers of that while there was no formal Mrs Sadat (the President's

son, Prince William, arrived in playing with their baby, who sat I as Angeles vesterday on route in a cushion-lined well between

to the Bahamas, after their visit their two chairs. At Los Angeles to Australia and New Zealand.

Mr Victor Chapman, the he flew back to London.

of a whole era"

the point in the South Atlantic where the Belgrano sank with the loss of 321 lives on May 2 last year. Royal Navy warships are

continuing to patrol the 150mile exclusion zone round the islands, in case Seilor Destefanis suddenly tries to carry out



Señor Destefanis, on

Mr Hosni Abdelhamid, the

Deputy Prosecutor General, who led the case against Mr

Ismat Sadat, categorically de-nied this, saying: "It is absol-utely false that we have anything on Mrs Sadat's broth-

Mr Heykal cited two examples of what he regarded as

major important errors in

policy stemming from Sadat's

personality. The visit to Jerusa-lem in 1977 was an attempt to

"overshadow things" after the food riots in January of that

year. Then the insistence on

between Iraq and Iran.

happened," he said.

against Israel.

Money blinds some people to traditional values", Mr Mubarak said. These people

have gone beyond the concept

In an unmistakable reference to Mr Heykal, he said that "certain people" had been writing in Arab newspapers published abroad, and he was

glad to see that these news-

papers has stopped publishing

Dr Armand Hammer, the

American millionaire who has

lent the royal couple a jet to fly

them to the Bahamas, met them

at Los Angeles airport. Then the Prince and the Princess, who

was wearing a meroon and white dress, walked the 150

yards to their waiting aircraft

and within minutes were bound

their holiday island of

his original threat to make a run for shore

ASUNCION: Mr Cransley Onslow, the Foreign Office Minister of State, said yester-day that Britain would like tension reduced in the South Atlantic but it must defend the

of the Falklands aggression, Reater reports.

During his five-hour stay in Asuncian, at the end of a Latin American tour, Mr Ouslow met Seiter Alberto Nogues, the Paraganyan Foreign Minister,

● LONDON: Mr Francis Pym, the Foreign Secretary, is to be questioned in the Commons about the disappearance of thousands of Argentines during the "dirty war" in the late 1970s, and in particular about two British subjects who vanished in the purge, the Press Association

Sir Bernard Braine, Con-servative MP for Essex southeast, said yesterday he would be asking Mr Pym: "What fresh action he proposes to take to establish the fate of Mr Walter Nelson Flenry and Dr.
Douglas Gillie Whitchend,
both United Kingdom citizens,
who were among the thousands of disappeared per-

Kind words in Harare as envoy returns

From Stephen Taylor Harare

Mr Robert Zwinoirs, Zim-babye's former High Com-missioner to Britain, slipped quietly back into Hazare yester.

quietly back into Harare yester-day after being relieved of his post, leaving behind the £585,000 Mayfair mansion which jeopardized his career.

He was accompanied by Mr Witness Mangwende, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, who had been in Europe on official business, and was need by Mr Nathan Shamuyarra, the Minister of Information, and his family. There was no official amagunerment of his return and he is understood to be under he is moderstood to be under instructions not to speak to the

press.

A Government source said Mr Zwinoira, appointed Zimbabwe's first High Commissioner to London in 1980, had completed his tour of duty and would probably be taking up a senior domestic post in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

The source denied that Mr Zwinoira had been dismissed because of accusations of financial misdemeanours in his purchase of a mansion at 11 Chesterfield Street, Mayfair, "The affair is over. It has been publicly debated and Mr Zwinoira has suffered enough. There is no intention of pulicly rebuking him."

The former High Com-missioner was severely criti-cized in a parliamentary report published in February which ocused him of "a catalogue of misdemeanours almost without parallel in buying the house which deserved the strongest possible action by the Govern-

After putting a deposit of £58,500 on the house, he ignored orders from Harare to cancel the deal and arranged to pay the balance by obtaining an unauthorized overdraft. This committed the Government to buying the house and ran up an additional £108,600 in interest

charges. Days after the publication of the report. Mr Zwinoira was recalled for "diplomatic consul-tations", and was in Harare for a parliamentary debate in which he was castigated by MPs who said he should be dismissed and ordered to says a constantial ordered to repay a substantial-sum to the Government. However, Mr Mangwende told the House of Assembly that

Mr Zwinoira had merely been naive and was manipulated by unscruolous estate agents

Informed sources believe there are a number of con-tenders for his former post, the most often mentioned being Mr Trivafi Kangai, director of the Zimbabwe Broadcasting Corperation and brother of Mr. Kumbirai Kangai, Minister of

Cancer fear | Friendly hits sale of cereals

From Our Correspondent

Shoppers in South Africa are panicking over a report by the semi-official Medical Research Council that a popular breakfast cereal contained a substance that could cause cancer. A row is also brewing between cereal manufacturers and the Government over its refusal to identify the product. The council's report said the

cereal - which is advertised on television - contained defatted peanut meal declared unfit for human consumption. Its use had continued for 18 months before it was spotted by the National Research Institute for Nutritional Diseases. The institute identified the

giving refuge to the dying Shah irritated Ayatollah Khomeini, and contributed to the war carcinogen aflatoxin, a cancer-producing substance often used "If Egypt had been accepting its responsibilities in the Arab world, that war would not have in processed foods. In the case of the cereal it has been used in concentrations exceeding legal

. Manufacturers and shops Muharak attack: President Mubarak, in a May Day speech, hit out at writers and journalists have urged the Government to identify the brand. Kellogg's said no defatted peanut meal was used in its breakfast cereals. who, he said, were besmirching Egypt's honour for money. He fused to identify the targets of Cerebos, another leading breakhis criticisms, but there is no doubt they were Mr Heykal and Mr Youssef Idriss, a novelist fast food manufacturer, also denied that illegal toxin levels were used in its products.

A Department of Health official said: "I cannot name the who recently cast doubt on the reasons for waging the 1973 war

product because it is now a safe food produced by an ethical company. No action has been taken against the company."

Botha face for Lesotho Pretoria (AFP) - Mr P. W.

Botha, the South African Prime Minister, conferred for four hours here on Saturday with Mr E. R. Sekhonyana, Lesotho's Foreign Minister, despite the 'state of war" declared against South Africa by Lesotho after clashes along their common frontier. Last December, the South African Army raided Maseru, Lesotho's capital, and killed 42 people.

A communique said the two men had discussed the revival of a huge water project which would supply South Africa's parched Transvaal province with water from mountainous esotho, which is an enclave in South Africa.

They emphasized the "para-mount importance" of economic and geographical facts in the establishment of "realistic relations" between the two countries, the communique said. It was the first contact between the two sides since the December attack

The scheme, known as the Lesotho Highlands Water Pro-ject, would involve building five dams and would make water Lesotho's main export, turning the kingdom into a reservoir for South Africa.

Lesotho would receive electricity, irrigation and other economic benefits from the 20year project, scheduled to start in 1985.

Blacklist of torturers proposed in Geneva

From Alan McGregor, Geneva

cated yesterday, by Mr Theo Van Boven, former director of the United Nations Human Rights Commission. He said in Geneva that, with

systematic torture during interrogation used in many countries, listing the names of those who ordered it and those who applied it was one of the few practicable urgent deterrent measures. · · ·

No name would go on the list, he said, without "solid information". In addition the persons concerned would be invited beforehand to give their

views. While the Commission had

An international blacklist started to draw up a list of naming persons responsible for individuals known to be guilty torturing prisoners was advo- of torture in South Africa, he did not believe that the UN itself, because of its into-governmental character, would be able to maintain a wildely-publicized international list. But prominent personalities in many countries might support Mr Van Boven was attending

a conference here of about of representatives of organizations involved in human rights from 27 countries among them the International Committee of the Red Cross, the World Council of Churches and the Pontifical Commission for Justice and peace. The subject was: How to combat torture

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After breakfast the Prince and Prince Charles sat at her side

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عبكذا من رلامل

Army alert called off in Bangkok as Prem resumes the leadership

General Pre Tinsupanonda, government and provide the include in his new Government reappointed Prime Minister of Prime Minister, triggered a only parties which would serve Thailand by Royal procla- crisis which was kept quite but the interest of the public. It is mation on Saturday night, four caused army unit Bangkok to be days after he had announced his put on full alert for a few hours. well known that he wishes to continue foreign, economic and retirement, spent the weekend selecting parties and ministers for his new coalition Govern-

lts composition has not yet been settled but the midde-ofthe-road Social Action Party is almost certain to be the dominant partner. The party's closest ally, the Democratic party, is also expected to join the Government together with the right-wing Thai Citizens Party which has close links with

the Army Chart Thai (Thai Nation), another right-wing party associhe included. After General Army's interests. Prem's retirement announce-

said the alert was only a routine test of preparedness, but the incident helped to convince General Prem that he was

General Arthit Kamlang-Ek, social policies he has been the Army Commander-in-Chief, pursuing since he first became pursuing since he first became Prime Minister in March, 1980.

General Prem and his

Government are expected to be confronted at the beginning of needed to prevent political their term of office with army chaos, as some party leaders demands to change the consti-and the Army had been telling tution in order to maintain the military's political power. There are no indications how General General Prem is preferred by Prem will handle this controthe military not only because he is a former Army Commanderis a former Army Commande in-Chief but also because as an appointed Prime Minister he has no power base in Parlia-has no power base in Parli aied with big industry, may also ment which could clash with the tutional amendment Bill, seeking to retain the legislative The Prime Minister's only power of the military-domi-

Secret summit in Cambodia

Cambodia yesterday, only the third meeting of the tripartite coalition since it was formed

Leaders of the three groups -

From Our Correspondent, Bangkok.

Prince Sihanouk's first visit to Cambodia since the Vietna-mese wiped out three resistance soil. "It's an act of defiance to bases near the Thai border, 180,000 Vietnamese in our provided his government with a country, he said. notable diplomatic victory.

tania - on Saturday presented credentials to the Prince.

More than 2,000 Camboroups.

dians, including many women
and children, greeted the Prince

significance of the occasion was

Five foreign ambassadors - Cambodian resistance groups.

from China, Malaysia, North Cambodian resistance groups.

battered by a fierce Vietnamese offensive, plan to regain the initiative in the jungle war during the rainy season starting this month, Reuter reports from

this Thailand border town. Prince Sihanouk, says rains would turn the Cambo-The Prince received the dian jungles into a quagmire,

eastern provinces. The rebels' Radio Vencere-Salvador.

The radio did not report new the road. actions in the eastern provinces.

Automatic gunfire could be

reporters by telephone.

San Salvador (Reuter) - Left- earlier battles, and military tanks and mortar and artillery ving guerrillas attacked police sources said the guerrills were outposts here last night, the first possibly regrouping for new fighting in the capital in weeks. strikes elsewhere.

Guerrillas bring offensive to

There were no immediate Reporters who drove along reports of casualties in the Pan American and coastal attacks. The guerrillas earler highways to the eastern provurged workers to celebrate May inces said the two main east-Day by helping in the struggle to west roads were open. They did hasten the defeat of El Salvanot sight any guerrillas but saw dor's American-backed Govern- several buses smoldering by the roadside.

The key city of Santa Rosa de eard from the suburbs of Lima in La Union province. Mejicanos, two miles from the held by the rebels for 12 hours city centre, and Zacamil. "We at the height of their offensive. are under attack", a policeman was reported quiet. Troops overthrow any government. But at the Mejicanos outpost told could be seen everywhere. Residents said the guerrillas The fighting appeared to be a destroyed the Santa Rosa part of a big offensive launched garrison when they entered the on Friday in the country's city. A bank and some jewelry

shops were looted. The frontier post of El mos said the offensive would Amatillo was also back in not have been possible without government hands after guerto exchange their work tools for with Honduras. Aid workers president to use with great guns. The offensive was laun- said that eight Salvodorean ched as a direct response to the soldiers and eight drivers were Reagan Administration's plans killed during the fighting for El to increase military aid to El Amatillo. At least twenty lorries destroyed in the attacks littered

The guerrillas claimed that

suburbs of San Salvador no tax fire, crossed the bridge to help Salvodorean soldiers at El Amatillo. He said the Hondu-

reans were beaten back with six men killed. ■ WASHINGTON:Mr William Clark, President Reagan's National Security Adviser. has defended US undercover operations in Nicaragua and denied the Administration was seeking to overthrow the coun-

try's left-wing government, Reuter reports. "The objective is not to a key objective is to make known what is truly occurring there". Mr Clark said in an interview with the news maga-zine US News and World

Report. He defended US covert actions in Nicaragua adding that such operations were "vital the assistance of workers and rillas overran it and destroyed and effective" policy tools that peasants and it called on them the bridge linking El Salvador had been available for every discretion and under great legal constraint

MANAGUA: Right-wing guerrillas yesterday killed 11 people, including a West German doctor, in an ambush in northern Nicaragua, diplomatic

On the march: A Salvadorean guerrilla column entering the town of Santa Rosa de Lima. The ruler who paid

From Michael Hamlyn

A good deal of ingenuity and effort is devoted by Indians to the minimizing of their tax burden, but few can have been so successful as the late ruler of Ramgarh. Khamkhy Narayan

For 23 years the prince managed to stave off the tax man, and when he died he owed 18m rupees more than £2.2m at current rates).

He began not paying his taxes immediately upon independence in 1947 and carried on until his death in 1970. He avoided seizure of his properties by the simple device of giving them away. He successfully disposed of five residences, and a fortune in stocks, shares and bank deposits.

More than 19 years later, in 1980, the Government decided that enough was enough and wrote off his debt.

Now the Indian Parliament's watchdog, the Public Accounts Committee, in its annual report published at the weekend, has castigated the Government for

Iran-Iraq prisoner exchange completed

Ankara (Reuter) - Iran and frag completed an exchange of prisoners of war in Turkey yesterday when 32 Iranians flew home after negotiations which went on well into the night. Turkish state radio reported.

On Saturday 32 Iraqi prisoners brought to Ankara for the hand-over left by air for Baghdad after only brief negotiations. There was no immediare explanation for the protracted talks over the Iranians, which involved officials from the International Red Cross and Turkey as well as Iran and Iraq.

A Turkish Foreign Ministry statement issued yesterday thanked all parties concerned with the hand-over. The minis-try said on Saturday that Turket was keen to remain impartial towards both coun-tries, which have been at war since September 1980.

Mr Said Sekhavend, the Charge d'Affaires at the Iranian Embassy here, told reporters on Saturday that the 32 Iraqi prisoners comprised three army captains and 29 enlisted men. All were invalids.

The Iraqi mission here has not released any details about the 32 Iranians sent home yesterday as part of the first exchange prisoner-of-war between Iran and Iraq on Turkish territory. Reporters were kept well away from the aircraft used for the exchange.

Tehran: Mr Noureddin Kianouri, the secretary-General of Iran's Tudeh (Communist) Party, who was arrested with much of the party's leadership in Februarty, has confessed on television to spying for the Soviet Union.

The Tudeh Party played an active role in the revolution which overthrew the Shah in 1979 and always declared support for the Islamic Govern-

But according to a translation of the confession in the English-language *Tehran Times*, Mr Kianouri said he had been in contact with Soviet agents since

"Our violations mainly con-sisted of the delivery of topsecret military and political documents to our bosses at the Russian embassy," the newspaper quoted him as saying.

The television also broadcast a half-hour confession by the editor of a Tudeh Party magazine. Mr Mahmud Etemadzadeh. Iran's national news agency IRMA quoted him as saying Marxism was at a dead end in Iran because of the people's support for Islam.

ment, Chari's claim that, as the comment since his reappointnated Senate, was rejected by largest party it should form the ment was an undertaking to Parliament.

The anti-Vietnamese Thmey, one of the main presidents. Afterwards they "Government of Democratic strongholds of the Khmer sipped champagne. Kampuchea" met in western Rouge.

Prince Sihanouk said the Kampuchea" met in western Rouge.

the two non-communists, Prince Sihanouk, the President, Mir Son Sann, the Prime Minister, and Mr Khieu Samphan. Vice-President, and leader of the communist Khmer Rouge - met at a secret site not controlled by any of the three

"neutral territory". He had and the ambassadors. refused to attend a ceremony on The Prince rece Saturday with Prince Sihanouk ambassadors in a jungle hut bogging down the tanks and and Khmer Rouge leaders with the elaborate courtesies heavy armour of the Vietnabecause it took place at Phum observed by monarchs and mese.

After 10 years of searching

and some controversy, former

President Nixon has decided

to establish a library in his

name in San Clemente, Cali-

fornia, once the location of Mr

Nixon's western White House,

Ivor Davis writes from Los

the Nixon documents and

private papers has been

marked by controversy largely

because the University of California at Irvine, believed

The search for a home for

Angeles.

San Clemente site for Nixon library

finally rejected.

attached conditions to its proposal that the Richard Nixon Archives Foundation

Plans call for construction of an 80,000 sq ft building that would also include a public exhibit area "dealing with the major issues and events of the post-World War Two period in which Richard Nilxon played a role", according to Mr. Scott Diel, the mayor of San Clemente, who along with former Congressman James

Nixon had chosen San Clemente over half a dozen other

The library will go up on a magnificent 13-acre site over-looking the Pacific Ocean. The Nixon Archives Foundation must now raise money for construction of the library which will be run by the National Archives, the organization responsible for all presidential libraries in the United States.

It merely summarized reports of Honduran troops, backed by sources said. by most to be the leading Mnyyou cantake coal for granted. Plus 50% of capital as low interest loan and 3% interest The most widely-known advantage of using coal is that it is considerably cheaper than either oil or gas. It reduces your energy costs which in turn efficiency and a keener competitive edge in the market-place.

rebate.

cut unit costs. giving your company greater

There are other advantages, however less known, but just as significant.

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All companies in the private manufacturing and most service industries are eligible. providing that oil and/or gas has been used to meet at least 75% of the process or heating requirement, and the scheme does not disqualify applicants from the benefit of other grants - Regional Development Grants for example.

The net cost of the new project must exceed £15,000.

If your company meets these requirements you could be well on the way to receiving the grant.

And if you are in a development or special

area, you could be in line for further grants.

EVEN MORE HELP.

In line with the extension of the Government Grant Scheme, Exchange Risk Cover Scheme Loans will also be available until the end of the year.

These two Schemes combined can provide up to 75% of the capital cost of converting from oil or gas to coal firing - 25% as grant and 50% as a preferential loan.

The loan scheme is also supported by a 3% interest rebate subsidy.

The combination of these facilities offers industry an unprecedented incentive to

and do not disqualify applicants from the benefit of other grants. Regional Development Grants for example. The total capital available to aid conversion is limited and therefore early application is advisable.

convert to coal firing.

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The party's parliamentary leadership wants to find out more from West German yesterday that Herr Heidemann had spoken last week to the former German officer who was present at the Nuremberg was crimes trials.

The Sunday Times said letter from Robert Kemper, who was present at the Nuremberg was crimes trials.

He told Herr Heidemann he in the former German officer who ction, and East German

injelligence sources.

A report yesterday in Welt German intelligence sources, said Herr Walde informed the West German Defence Management of the West German Defence Management of the West German Defence Management of the Ma in 1981 that he had been offered Hitler material by the East German secret service in connexion with a documentary series Stern was planning. Herr Walde, however, told the paper that this was not correct.

Bornersdorf in East Germany in 1980 for investigations connexion with the Hitler

had anything to do with research in East Germany providing the Hitler documents without the knowledge of the for Stern magazine.

Herr Thomas Walde, an editor said he recovered the docu- knew from 1947 that Hitler was of the Stern modern history ments from a plane crash in aware of Rudolf Hess's flight to ments from a plane crash in 1945.

Herr Heidemann said the man, who is a crucial link in for only a few days. It had earlier been supposed the papers had remained in the hayloft for several years.

They were then removed to the West, where they were held by the officer until he handed Herr Walde travelled with them to Herr Heidemann in Herr Gerd Heidemann, the exchange for money and a Stern reporter said to have promise that they would be ing the diaries of Hitler and the discovered the diaries, to passed to West Germany's exchange of letters between federal archives.

The Sunday Times has also

where the aircraft crashed, to the capitulation."

Leading Christian Demo- In a commentary on the speak to local people. He said their evidence conlict in some West German Government this Zeit said on Thursday it would ways with that provided by the week to set up an investigation be a mistake to believe that anonymous German officer, but to find out whether East Herr Heidemann and Herr two witnesses said a survivor of German state security officials Walde could have carried out the crash was found clutching a large wooden case.

Another piece of evidence

Scotland in 1941, a point made clear in the diaries.

Declassified documents at the National Archives in Washington also show, accordwashington ass show, according to The Sunday Times, that Wilhelm Spacil, who had been head of Section Two of the Reich Security Office, told American interrogators at the end of the war that he had heard of Hitler keeping diaries.

The US intelligence report says: "Investigation has led agents to believe that certain important documents, includexchange of letters between Hitler and Eva Braun (Hitler's The Sunday Times has also mistress) might well be among sent a reporter to Bornersdorf, the items hidden ... just before

Soviet Far East

Moscow, (Reuter) - Rainstorms and hurrican-force winds which brought freak snowstorms to northern China have also hit the Soviet Far East, closing ports and factories

and destroying houses.

Tass did not give precise details of the distruption in the region around Khabarovsk but it indicated that the ports of Vladivostock and Nakhodka, which handle almost all Soviet Paciffic trade, had been paralysed for several days. It said roads had been closed by flooding and the sowing of spring grain halted.

Reports from Peking said the same storms, caused by two powerful cyclones, had brought freak snowfalls to the Heilongjiang province of northern China bordering Khabarovsk.

They cut power and water supplies in some areas and brought factories to a standstill. Hardest hit was the area around the city of Qiqihar where more than 1ft of snow fell on Friday. Railway passenger hear a final opinon from the present circumstances rupted and power and telephone lines brought down.

Storms hit Decision likely today on Italian poll date

From Peter Nicholls, Rome

decree disolving the Italian

Fanfani's coalition became Christian Democrats.

10 per cent of the national vote, to run the Socialists enjoy a crucial A last-minute attempt was position, given the delicate made at the weekend to fend off balance in Italian politics. They elections with a reported also feel that the earlier the country goes to the polls, the

President Pertini devoted the

President Sandro Pertini is Senate and Signora Nilde Jotti expected to prepare today the for the Chamber of Deputies. These exchanges are required parliament and calling a general by the constitution, but the election. The most likely date is President is not bound by the June 26, when important local advice he receives. A dissolgovernment elections are also ution is his own responsibility once he has drawn his con-

would have seen out the Although they have less than legislature which has still a year

A last-minute attempt was elections with a reported Communist proposal that Senator Morlino should be asked to better the result will be for the investigae the prospects of Socialists. On Friday Senator forming another administranfani faced the inevitable by ration. That idea also foundered because of Socialist opposition. President Pertini is himself

weekend to consultations with seen to be less opposed to the party leders, and today will elections, on the ground that in and freight services were inter- presiding officers of the two government appears capable of Houses of Parliament, Senator enforcing the severe austerity Tommaso Morlino for the measures the economy requires.

González patches up rift with unions

Señor Felipe Gonzalez, the immediate fire from leaders of Spanish Prime Minister, tried to the country's two biggest trade patch up differences at a May unions, the Socialist General Day lunch with union leaders Labour Union (UGT) and the here vesterday after being Communist Workers Comcriticized for suggesting that missions. striking bank workers were as He lunched with Señor intransigent as the bank man-agements. Fernandez, the leader of the bank workers' UGT branch,

indicated that he supported incredible that Felipe González police action to prevent further should back the most powerful and similar remarks drew group in Spain."

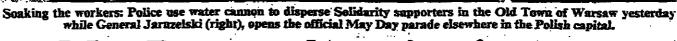
The Prime Minister also who told him on Saturday: "It's violence by bank pickets. This and reactionary management

After the lunch the rift was apparently patched up, and Señor González addressed a Socialist May Day rally in the capital.

However, at a seperate rally

attacked by speakers. Police are reported to have arrested 27 bank strike pickets on Saturday, but most banks continue to operate.





May Day marchers air grievances

France's two biggest trade unions staged a May Day parade in Paris yesterday in support of President Mitter-rand's Government, despite their expectations to the parameters of their opposition to its harsh austerity programme.

Headed by Socialist and Communist Party leaders, about 30,000 members of the Communist-led CGT and Socialist-led CFDT union feder-ations marched to the Place de la Bastille in Paris.

The third main union, the moderate Force Ouviere, held a separate march attended by an estimated 5,000 people at which spokesmen condemned the austerity programme as being "against the interests of workers".

Another demonstration of opposition to the tax and price increases imposed by the Government a month ago was mounted by the SNPMI, an organization representing small

week by students and farmers,

strikes by doctors and rumbles of discontent among police. M Pierre Mauroy, the Prime Minister, appealed to the unions on Saturday to support the Government in its attempts to bring down inflation and bridge France's large balance of

payments deficit. The CGT and the CFDT, marching together in a May Day rally for the first time for four years, said the parade was intended to be a symbol of the left's unity in power.

In Bonn and throughout West Germany, trade union leaders speaking at May Day demonstrations urged the Government to shorten the working week and introduce a job-creation programme to counter unem-

Herr Ernst Breit, the head of More than 100,000 demon-the Trade Union Congress strators gathered in an Atkens (DGB), said in Bremen that a park to celebrate May Day, government programme to create jobs was "indispensable" to safeguard social peace. "A shorter working week

should become a demand workers can go on strike for," Herr Ernst Haar, the leader of the Railway Workers' Union, said in Munich, adding that this could not be achieved without a hard struggle. Herr Erich Honecker, the

Communist Party leader, watched a May Day procession in East Berlin lasting nearly two hours. East Germany used this year's traditional May Day parades to urge workers to increase labour productivity and maintain loyalty to the

Communist Party.
The Pope, speaking to 50,000 pilgrims and tourists in St Peter's Square in Rome yesterday, hailed workers and praised labour as the source of human

waving red banners and chanting slogans against the Govern-ment's pay-freeze.

The parqudox is that the rally was organized by the govern-ment-controlled General Confederation of Greek Workers. The adoption of anti-government slogans was the price it had to pay to stop the Communist-led trade unions from holding a separate meet-

typified by a huge party in the normally austere Great Hall of the People. While state and Communist Party leaders attended a gala musical show last night in the half's huge theatre, the rest of the complex was turned into a gigantic

workers are being held as "guests" not hostages. Fourteen die in plane crash

Jacksonville (Reuter) - Fourteen people were believed killed when a Navy C131 transport aircraft en route to the US base at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, crashed into the St John's river here in Florida, while returning to its Jacksonville base with engine trouble.

Only one survived, Melissa Kelly, aged 32, a technician. She was clinging to a floating piece

Ethiopian

rebels to

free relief

team soon

The 10 foreign relief workers, including four Britons and two lrish nurses, kidnapped in Ethiopia 10 days ago, will be

released "as soon as possible," their captors claim. But the Save the Children's fund, for

whom the Britons work, is treating the claim with caution,

the Press Association reports.
Mr. Tewelde Wedelias, a

Rome representative of the

kidnappers' group, the Tigre People's Liberation Front, said Colonel Hugh Mackay, director of SCF Overseas, had been told in Khartum last week that the

capties' safety was assured. But he added: "I cannot give

date for their release - it will

be as soon as they have seen the conditions in which 1.2 million

Tigran people are suffering in

the present drought."

Tigre lies in northern Ethiopia, on its border with Eritrea.

The rebels claim the relief

Greenhouse in the sky

Moscow, (Reuter) - Soviet and Bulgarian scientists are developing a "space green-house" to supply vegetables to cosmonauts in long-term missions, Tass news agency said. sions, tass news agency said.

The optimum soil mix for growing plants in zero-gravity conditions is among the subjects under study. During their record 211-day mission on the Salyut 7 space station last year two Soviet cosmonauts cultivated peas, wheat and herbs.

Politicians shot

Colombo (Reuter) - Three leading members of Sri Lanka's ruling United National Party have been shot dead by guerrillas in the northern Jaffna district, homeland of the Tamil minority, police said. Local council elections are due in two

Pilot's switch

Peking (AFP) - Major Li Dawei, a Taiwan Air Force pilot who on April 22 defected with his aircraft to China, has been accepted into the Chinese Air Force, the People's Daily reported.

Bush needed

Washington - President Reagan told the Houston Post that he would like Vice-President George Bush to be his running mate again if he decides

Catania (AP) - Experts prepared last night to dig a three yard-deep canal as first step in a 1,000m lire (£3.5m) plan to divert Mount Etna's lava from villages in its path.

Delhi will The fall of Senator Amintore clusions about the alternatives. He appears convinced that crack down inevitable last week when the elections can be avoided no Socialists decided to withdraw longer. The present Parliament, their support. They are the second biggest of the four five governments. There were parties in the coalition after the Christian Democraty. on spying

From Kuldip Nayar

The Government has asked all security agencies, including the state special branches, to set up counter-intelligence units "to detect and foil" methods used by foreign sources, particularly the superpowers and neighbouring countries, in collecting intelligence in India.

Delhi is worried by an increasing number of instances where foreigners have tried to gather information on internal developments, sensitive defence installations, and other forms of strategic intelligence, including cal and manpower potential.

The Intelligence Bureau which has been assigned the overall study of all counter-intelligence problems in the country, has asked the states to associate it "right from the start" in their counter-intelligence work. It is conceded that the

counter-intelligence requireexample, the border states or those receiving a large number efforts than others.

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More than 1,200 held as Tanzania fights hoarders From Charles Harrison, Nairobi

Tanzania's operation against oteurs", and goods seized range alleged black marketeers, from banned imports such as smugglers and currency mani-television sets to textiles, car pulators, which started more spares and food. than a month ago, is still in progress. Official figures for arrests so far exceed 1,200, and

the total may be much higher. Those arrested, including traders, officials of government distribution and supply organizations, businessmen and prihave been reported. vate individuals, are being held under the detention law. President Nyerere has said they cannot be tried in the courts

because the normal legal process is inadequate or inappropriate for such cases. The campaign was launched without warning in March when saboteurs)). There have long of small-scale offenders.

been serious shortages of many are being investigated by a other essentials, owing to mission from the international Tanzania's lack of foreign Monetary Fund which is presexchange and a fall in local sing Tanzania to agree to a production. In Dar es Salaam alone, more shilling, to tighter controls on

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Asian traders have been a special target and many people have been denounced by neighbours because of local quarrels. Numerous cases of extortion, some involving police officers,

A British accountant working on a road scheme funded by British aid was denounced for having a dozen golf balls in his house. In other cases, pos-session of two tubes of toothpaste led to allegations of hoarding

the late of those arrest police and party organizations still uncertain. They include were ordered to root out some large-scale black marketehoarders and other "economic ers, but a much greater number

government spending, and a freezing of everyday trade.

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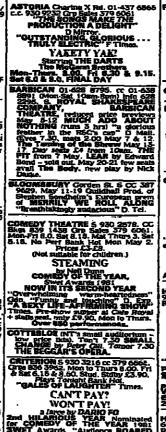
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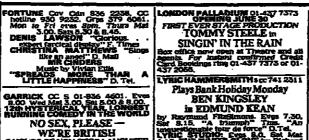
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bomb gang Paris (Reuter) - French

police have smashed a Corsican National Liberation Front (FNLC) ring in Paris and discovered bomb-making equipment and \$100,000 (£66,000) of counterfeit American money, police sources said yesterday.

the capital by the Corsican separatist guerrillas will probably face charges, they said. Two had admitted taking part in the attacks on four radiway. stations and an Air France terminal.

and Alfortville were also hit by bombs as the guerrillas broke a two-year truce with the Government in mainland France. Fifteen explosions caused serious damage but no casualtiés.

The Government outlawed the FLNC last January after blaming it for about 800 bomb attacks on French settlers and businesses in Corsica last year.

Eight men detained after Friday's wave of bombings in weeks.

Police sources said that the authorities learnt by chance of the FLNC's plans late on Thursday, only a few hours before the explosions, and mobilized scores of men to try to prevent them.

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The madness and the ecstasy

In the summer of 1943 Sir Harry touched a chord. I found that the Oakes, one of the world's richest men, was found bludgeoned to death in his bed. The murder shook not only the lotus eating residents of the Bahamas; but the rest of the world when it became known that his close friend, the Duke of Windsor, then Governor of the Bahamas, was threatened with a similarly nasty death if he did not give way to the plans of a Mafroso syndicate to build a casino on Nassau.

It was not Sir Harry's death that intrigued the film director Nicolas Roeg so much as the extraordinary way he had made his fortune, and its effect on his life thereafter. As a young man, Oakes was one of the many struggling prospectors who descended on the Yukon at the turn of the century in search of gold. A 14-year trek to goldfields from Alaska to Australia finaly resulted in the realization of his dream when he discovered in northern Ontario the second largest gold mine in the Western Hemisphere. The downand-out prospector, bereft of friends and money, and almost insane from the appalling conditions he had been living. under, was suddenly a billionaire.

Roeg is adamant that Eureka, his new film opening in London on Thursday, is not a dramatized documentary of Sir Harry Oakes's life. His thoughts had been concerned with the theme of obsession with money when he read Marshall Houts's book on the Oakes murder case, King's X, and it provided the shell for what he wanted to say. The main character in the film, Jack McCann, played by Gene Hackman, has a similar background. Jane Lapotaire plays his wife and Theresa Russell his daughter. The daughter's playboy husband, who was wrongly accused of the murder, is played by the Dutch actor Rutger Hauer.

"As with Bad Timing, something

incident and the position of the characters reflected some kind of truth in my head", says Roeg. "I would hope that anyone who sees the film would feel something of Jack McCana's predicament, it is about a man who experiences the estasy of finding what he is searching for But ecstasy is a dengenous emotion to prach Where do dangerous emotion to reach. Where do you go after that? What can you reach after ecstasy? A more ecstatic ecstasy? In a way his story is over, but his life is not. He has to live on to wonder what his life means.

Eureka is likely, as with Roeg's past work, to cause some dissension among critics. His producer, Jeremy Thomas, who worked with Roeg on his previous film, Bad Timing, says. "Nic has the ability to make an andience feel it has been physically punched in the stomach the way he suddenly catches them off guard." The disturbing images do indeed have that effect, though one of the strongest, the setting fire to the dead man, is based on fact. The distributors have obviously felt rather weak-stomached in their decision to open it quietly at the Screen on the Hill and the Odeon Kensington rather than going for a general release. Presumably, if it becomes a cult film, they will consider the West End consider the West End.

"I don't believe my films are inaccessible", says Roeg, "If they were I would be inaccessible myself. What I am trying to do, as anyone who works in any form of art or communication is trying to do, is to express an emotion.

The film audience is so, curiously demanding in conservatism. You don't find that in any other form of expression, such as dance or theatre. People never say of dance, 'I don't understand what is happening. Yet film is the newest and should be the freest art of all."

ages often show what is going on in than an actual event. The strike, where McCann realizes he has stumbled across one of the richest seams of gold, is expressed in terms of a veritable flood of gold which all but drowns him. It is a way, says Roeg, of conveying to the audience the mystical thrill for McCann - in reality all be would have seen was some quartz in a rock, but the mind of a miner would have immedi-

At 55, and with six films to his credit, Roeg still retains a certain modesty, almost unsureness, about explaining his work. Dealing so much in the visual and emotional medium, he finds it hard to rationalize about them. Significantly, on a recent television programme, his colleagues and critics spent nearly an hour pontificating about the meaning of his films; finally the director himself sat down to be interviewed, and simply delivered benign shrugs and self-effac-ing laughter when faced with discussing

ately leapt to the riches it meant.

He has been on record as saying that



being on the verge of madness. In fact, whatever may be going on in his head, those who have filmed with him say that he works very quietly and the scenes are minutely mapped out beforehand, every camera shot being recorded in the script. As a one-time cameraman himself, he feels able to leave the technical side during the day's shooting to his director of photography, Alex Thomson, and concentrate on the actors. He is usually able to get the actors he wants on his films, because

actors he wants on his films, because they know it will be a remarkable experience working with him.

"I look on filming as a way of making contact and trying to understand each other", says Roeg. "You cannot help but reveal yourself through your mork Now I'm trying to figure out. your work. Now I'm trying to figure out what mark this film has left on me. A lot of people's lives were involved. We formed a microcosm of society and lived in that world for a while. Then gradually, day by day, people left and now I am the last one working on it they have all gone away from the village, John Houston once said: 'All in all, it is rather a melancholy affair making films'. I'm inclined to agree."



Nicolas Roeg (left), photographed by Suresh Karadia; and Gene Hackman, finding that

An actor's internal agony

the soul Last night on LWT's The South Bank Show Gene Hackman was heaping it freely on the interviewer Alan Gibson in Jamaica during the making of his latest film, Eureka, directed by Nicolas Roeg.

Mr Hackman describes his acting techniques as "internaliz-ing", and thinks of Marlon Brando not quite as his idol but as his guide. Internalizing for Eureka could not have been hard. He plays a gold prospector who strikes it rich and finds having everything a kind of devouring nothing.

In person a gentle, bewildering man, he is several precincts years." away from Popeye Doyle, the Whoever you were showed tough cop he played in The through in time and that

There are Oscars on the French Connection, his first seemed to worry him. He mantelpiece but there is angst in starring role. It won him an admitted to a lot of bad films

Success and, presumably, money in the bank have not made life sweeter. He has not found acting enough. "Is this what a grown man does at 50-odd, at 52?"

On the whole he was not crazy about anything he had done, He had had some fun in Bonnie and Clyde, for which he was nominated for best supporting actor, because of the ensemble feel among the cast. He wished he had the energy now - "There is very little in films that is interesting after you have been doing it for 20

working after Superman, which he did not count among the bad, because he was accepting roles just on monetary value.

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the need to be a performer. You could grow out of it, he said, but later confessed there was still "that small boy in me".

He sat in the sun, externalizing about his internalizing, looking unhappy, dismayed at the roles that had failed to liberate the real Gene Hackman. "I suppose at 70 years old you come to the realization that it doesn't matter so much, that it's just as good as any profession", he said, and made it sound like a question.

Opera

Pritchard takes the honours

Parsifal

Opernhaus, Cologne

Jean-Pierre Ponfielle's biggest over the past five years have mostly been with Wagner, the Ring in Stuttgart, Tristan und Isolde at Bayreuth, Das Liebesin Munich and now Parsiful at Cologne. If there is a common thread in these productions it is Ponnelle's attraction, as a theatrical craftsman, the world of dramatic leitmotif and symbol, rather than to the more troubled waters of the mythological, mystical or moral in Wagner's

Anyone expecting the new Parsifal to be an intense spiritual experience is likely to be disappointed. What Ponnelle achieves is a vindication of Parsifal as a cogent musicodramatic entity, capable of expressing something profound about the complexity and contradictions of man. His constant reference-point is a glowing temple interior, less ornate than Wagner's original conception but just as finely sculpted, and, like every Ponneile set, perfectly symmetrical. By using it as a solid framework for each scene, Ponnelle likens it to a temple of human nature, emphasizing that the character-istics displayed by the inhabitants of castle and magic garden in Act II are the direct complement to those of Montsalvat in Act I: the idealism and bland self-righteousness in man contrasted with the destructive tendencies of his sensuous, physical and vindictive self.

Student opera

Bloomsbury/RAM

Some of the best entertainment last week was to be found at the Bloomsbury Theatre, where the National Opera Studio pre-sented the fruits of its year's "finishing course": seven defily stage-managed scenes from seven different operas, pro-duced by Christopher Renshaw and designed by the Wimbledon roles as Samson/Florestan and Leonard Hancock, visited the School of Art. To plunge into the final scene

of La traviata, or into Mozart's "Porgi amor", and to do so in front of a largely professional



Peter Lindroos as Parsifal: strange casting

Ponnelle's depiction Amfortas as a demented, stumbling, unkempt ogre - like a drunken intruder - is not only intensely dramatic but reinforces the arrogance of Titurel's ascericism, which has robbed the knights of sexuality, indi-viduality, colour and even compassion. The same stage picture in Act II, refreshing though it appears with flowers. bright costumes and beautiful chorus movement, illustrates how obsession with the Grail has led Klingsor on an equally perverted path, with magic brews and astrological symbols.

The result not only imposes a much stronger unity on the work than is normal in performit also makes much clearer that Wagner was as critical of the world of the Grail as he was of its opposite, the world of Klingsor. So, in spite of Klingsor. So, in spite of Ponnelle's lip-service to some of the work's traditional vestiges

most supple vocal chords. At Donald Stephenson's tenor and Britten to London. Their Rape the cultivated resonance of of Lucretia, thoughtfully and Jeremy Munro's bass were tried simply directed by John Lawand tested in their respective son Graham and conducted by

Germont/Almaviva. The ability to make an this chamber opera is coming audience believe totally in a role into its own. inselfconscious fusion of vocal cally plausible is quite a and dramatic craft, remains rare challenge. Gerry Kitching's even among the best. That the designs economically and effective Wingrave was one of the most with male and female Chorus powerful scenes of the evening (Henry Lankester and Lynn was due to two young singers Anderson in well-groomed who already possess this ability voice) like waxwork commissionaires either side. The Struchan as Kate had earlier parts of Tarquinus, Lucretia parts of Tarquinus, Lucretia presented a Carmen whose ripe and Lucia, all of them highly ensuality grew artfully through testing and nakedly exposed each phrase, and Geoffrey were more than competently Dolton, whose recitative as handled by Peter Thomson, Figuro had revealed as much as Eleanor Bennett and Elizabeth any aria, was a Wingrave of a Dobie, while the freshness and

of religion, this Parsiful is more vivid parable of human behaviour and aspiration than an exploration of spiritual truffs.

ess consistent. How Peter Lindroos came to be cast as Parsifal is baffling, for he lacks the vocal fibre to convey the character's purity or give the cries of anguish an adequate strength. Gottfried Hornik was an equally curious choice to deliver Khingsor's ranting decla-

Karl Ridderbusch's prickly patriarchal Gurnemanz is a sad portrait of vocal decline, and Thomas Stewart as Amfortas is another candidate for retirement. On a more positive note. the promising German bass Matthias Holle does not go unnoticed as Tituel, and Waltraud Meier's exciting young Kundry bears one of the most striking voices I have heard in the past year.

The real musical honours, though, are reserved for Sir John Pritchard, who has followed his Cologne Meistersing-er with a Parsifal of immense breadth, confidence, conviction and screnify, as warmly applauded by the orchestra as by the audience. His reading showed a searching grasp of thematic material, a natural shaping of dramatic contrast and a control of momentum that gave the Act II finale and Good Friday music an overwhelming charge. This alone released the performance from its earthbound quality.

Andrew Clark

and prospecting audience, is an designs, particularly those by experience intimidating enough Julie Reed for Carmen and to test the most fron nerve, the Michael Spencer for Fidelio, most supple vocal chords. At were equally encouraging, and times the strain did show, but the players of the National Shirley Pilgrim as Violetta and Centre for Orchestral Studies Alina Sheehan as Figuro's under Steuart Bedford provided Countess judged well the pacing vivid and confident support. and expressive scale of their Meanwhile, the Royal Scottableaux. Among the men, the tish Academy of Music and versatility and muscle of Drama had brought more

within just a few minutes. To make this masterpiece of something which springs from a verbal and formal contrivance high intelligence liberated by an dramatically as well as musi-Act II duet from Britten's Owen tively contained the "action"

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perceptive breadth and inten-impetus of the chamber orchessity that made one see a Billy tra compensated for a certain Budd lurking not too far behind, lack of finesse in colour and The imagination and resours timbre. Hilary Finch cefulness of the student stage

Concerts

Trouble in texture and form

Beaux Arts Trio Wigmore Hall

recital by the Beaux Arts Trio, of three goblets of iced tapwater being borne on a plastic poppies on a building site were tray backstage. An insignificant apparation, perhaps, but it surrounding mud. seemed to say something about It was all so the spartan, unlovely perform-ance of Schumann's F major

Trio we had just heard. The piano trio is famously an awkward medium even at the from perfect togetherness as best of times, and here the they did when violin and cello musicians needed special luck had to play as one in the first in a programme of interesting failures: this was the first of three concerts on consecutive days featuring the plano trios of Schumann and Brahms, prefaced on each occasion by Haydn. However, Schumann

Cohen's violin, in particular, was disinclined to sing. His tone was grainy and his phrasing happened to catch sight, plain; there was even some tonation. And so ideas that should have flowered like coloured too much with the It was all so surprising,

especially after an alactritous, quick-witted finale to Haydn's A major Trio of 1794, to find the Beaux Arts slipping away movement. Then the care they lavished on several passages of question-answer counterpoint threw attention on what is the most tiresome aspect of Schumann's chamber music. I liked the way the Intermezzo began found them minimizing the with a simultaneous smile and a glory of his trouvaille and hobble, but elsewhere the maximizing the trouble he has performance moved in such a

claims to formal elegance. Right at the end, for instance, where Schumann acknowledges his helplessness in a sudden wander Beaux Arts passed through at a gallop started many bars before.
The performance of Brahms's major Trio was not much happier. The neat little stabs of

the Beaux Arts style paid off in the delicate scherzo, but otherwise, particularly in the first movement, they gave an impression of finickiness quite alien to Brahms. When something more powerful was needed it had to be forced, and sometimes too much was forced too soon: by the end of the scherzo's trio Menahem Pressler was almost standing in order to crash down on his mano with sufficient weight to complete the unwise course on which he and his colleagues had em-

Paul Griffiths

Purcell Room The programmes for Friday

Lontano

night's concert by the Lontano Ensemble were mislaid, and I, with one cannily hoarded from the previous concert in this series, may have been the only member of the audience with much idea of what was going How many for instance, that Nigel Robson was singing the words of Michael Finnissy's Goro in Japanese? Or that this is based a naganta called Goro Kineya Rokuzaemon (a nagauta being a type of shamisen music)? If the listener is to stand any

real chance with unfamiliar works of this sort, he must absorb much basic information. Some of Finnissy's seven movements had, at least in their instrumental parts, a winsomely, fluttering elusiveness, but at other times this pale, wan piece sported a rather selfconscious refinement. Such European Japanese

works form, however, an interesting corollary to the

Japanese European music of people like Takemitsu. Quite different were Ligeti's Bagatelles for Wind Quintet; these early squibs are concentrated and witty, and were performed that way. Bartok and Stravinsky cast definite shadows here, yet there is a constant flow of invention exactly suited to the move-ments' small scale, and the a highly questionable perform-auce of Bartok's Contrasts, the balance so poor that sometimes the violin was inaudible. But one can be more positive.

Tokimune written in 1841 by about Melissa Phelps's account . of Corey Field's Sonata for unacccompanied cello. Finely sweeping phrases, resonantly brooding multiple stops and quietly intimate asides sug-gested this to be a respectable had its London première, was more concise yet also of some formal interest, the movements, for example, being variations on each other. Tense, self-involved, though never hermetic, this piece convinced one that its every note counted.

Max Harrison

Theatre Ugly melodrama

The Body The Pit

Like the prospect of hanging the impending installation of Cruise missiles is serving to concentrate the British mind; and not least in the theatre where a new form of dark comedy is taking shape. Its relevision, flanked by Mrs May origin is Giles Cooper's master piece Mathry Beacon, and it begins with an image of ordinary rural life which beharmony links from a trio of comes steadily overshadowed by the presence of menacing silos hidden away up side roads, and the scream of Vulcan bombers tearing through the peaceful skies.

Following Peter Whelan's Clay, Nick Darke's The Body is the second such piece to appear at the Pit, and I wish I could say that something more than its heart was in the right place. In outline, it tells the parallel

stories of a Cornish village and

a neighbouring US airbase. Guarding warheads is not much of a life, and, when one of the in seeing what Mr Darke has in marines drops dead from boredom, his comrades (taking bling Cornish family is dispelled several leaves from Brechi's by the glum feeling that they are Man is Man) entrap a mush- all barmy. room-gathering villager, Ken, The second act moves on to and brainwash him into as- the airbase with an informative suming the dead man's identity, introduction from the corpse. he enthusiastically rounds up latest state of military intellithe whole village for execution; gence on the Saturday night

If that seems an unlikely tale, wait until you see what Mr Darke does with it. For a start, he excludes the Americans from the first act, which seems simply to be concerned with the discovery of the marine's

unidentified body. The witchy old Mrs May finds it while she is gathering cockles, but her claims to it are ferociously disputed by Ken's swaggeringly competitive father, who goes to the length of smothering himself in mud, removing the body and taking its place on her living-room sofa after strangling the cat. There he sits watching

harmony links from a trio of parish farmers, a rector (Derek Godfrey) dressed as a mandarin ("For all the attention I get I might be a Chinaman") and Gilbert, the local bobby who is a devil for the girls when off duty and arrests everyone in sight as soon as he gets into uniform.

The first half hour of Nick

Hamm's production goes with a swing and arouses some sense of rural authenticity - thanks to passages like the opening sight of Jenny Agutter skilfully dismembering a rabbit with a cleaver. But any initial interest store for this extended, squab-

The marine commander mean-Some mild comedy ensues, as while is seeking promotion by where the lieutenant holds a spreading a red scare, for which formal briefing session on the only to be frustrated by Ken, hop; also various sinister when confronted by the corpse questions left deliberately open of his wife, whom the Ameri- in the village scenes are cleared cans have already killed. As the up. Otherwise the comedy lights fide it appears to the comedy to the comedy lights fide it appears to the comedy to lights fade, it seems they are evaporates into Ugly American also expecting a nuclear strike. melodrama David Shawmelodrama. David Shaw-Parker has his moments as the pliable go-between Gilbert, and Christopher Benjamin's corpse-

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How did film director Michael Apted move Gorky Park to Scandinavia? He changed the street signs, hired the cars and imported English 'snow'

Moscow? Niet, but it's close

By Christopher Mosey

It should have been filmed in Moscow, of course. After all, rumour had it that Yuri Andropov has a copy of the 335page best-selling paperback in his bookcase, fuelling speculation as to the unlikely prospect of a former head of the KGB being a "closet liberal". But no, they began the making of Gorky Fark in Helsinki and have now moved on to Stockholm.

Kaisaniemi Park, an anonymous patch of grass and birch trees in central Helsinki, is in the title role; and Sturebadet, a Stockholm health centre founded in 1885, now owned by the pop group Abba, has been converted into the Turkish bath just off Red Square where top party members relax and where honest Moscow cop Arkady Renko first meets his principal opponent, the suave and sinister Ameri-

Location shooting of what may be the definitive study of totalitarianism in 1984, the year when Orwellian prophecy is measured against the real thing, is now coming to an end, with a hyper-intense William Hurt "living" his role as Renko and a monosyllabic Lee Marvin playing Osborne, a villain as always – but this time, to use the words of the author. Martin Cruz Smith, "a man magically dripping

money from his every pore". Michael Apted, the film's director, born in Ilford, educated at Cambridge, trained at Granada TV in Manchester and since 1979 resident in Los Angeles, shuffled in sneakers, jeans and anorak to the unit's mobile canteen, collected a plate of something that looked anonymous and totalitarian, and said: Of course, we'd like to have done it in Moscow. We asked, you know. It was

Despite the reported presence of the book in Andropov's bookcase, or perhaps because of it, the answer was a predictable niet and Apted was forced to tread the same path as author Cruz Smith: a couple of weeks in Moscow for research and a heavy reliance on Russian emigre advisers. He then substituted the social democratic greyness of Scandinavia for the darker

hues of the Soviet Union. For a film-maker in permanent quest of authenticity, it went against the grain. When Apted filmed The Coalminer's Daughter, the story of an American country music singer, he lived in Kentucky for six months before shooting started, "sorting out what was true and what was false and generally getting the whole feel of the place". He later coaxed an Oscarwinning performance from Sissy Spa-

For Gorky Park, Anatoly Davidov, the man the Americans on the set call 'the tame Russian", has told him how citizens in the Soviet Union smoke cigarettes, how they drink their vodka and even how they sit to eat meals. At his most obsessive, Apted insisted on Michael Elphick, of Private Schultz fame, having silver fillings in his teeth for his part as a KGB informer 'Played havoc with my eating habits,' Elbhick munered darkly).

Gorky Park last July after discussions with producers Howard W. Koch and Gene Kirkwood, who bought "the property" from galley proofs before its

After his visit to Moscow. Apted chose Dennis Potter to write the screenplay. "He refused to do it unless he could change the ending." said Apted. "I agree with him." Instead of being set in New York, as in the book, the last part of the story is set in Stockholm. There are going to be people who don't like what we've done but I'm sure we're right," said Apted. pushing away his plate as we sat at wooden tables in a school that had been commandeered as a canteen. "The film has to live on its own, in its own right. We have to take certain

He fetched coffee in plastic cups. "Imagine the technical difficulties that would have arisen if we'd stuck to the book. All the way through - in the scenes in the Soviet Union - we have

Apted started to immerse himself in publication. Just three weeks later it was at No 1 in the US best-seller lists.

liberties. But I think we are being loyal to the spirit of the novel."

A hyper-intense William Hart "living" his role as the honest Moscow cop, Renko, unravelling a plot said to have pleased even Andropov we have taken Renko and his girlfriend to New York and differentiated between them and the Americans? Had them suddenly speaking Russian with sub-titles? No way. We had to adapt it

His producers were less certain about Potter's changes but Apted won them round: "I was with Dennis all the way," he said. Perhaps significantly, however, Cruz Smith, Gorky Park's author, has had nothing to do with the filming. Potter, on the other hand, has paid frequent visits to the various location sets, where he is held in awe, almost fear, by the mainly British supporting cast, who refer to him as "the scribbler"

Apted said simply: "Dennis knows what he's doing. I have tremendous respect for his work." Regarding his own obsession with authenticity, he said: "There are no excuses for not getting it right. This film is an opportunity for me to create a whole world. It is a challenge. It will be a commercial movie. It will sell in America first, and for Americans

Russians speaking English. How could Moscow is an unknown quantity, modelled on real people. They are the film took a whole Saturday to film. something they have never seen and find difficult to imagine. It should look like Star Wars to them, something outside their range of experience.

> "All the street signs, public notices and written messages are in Russian but the dialogue is in English. No awful broken accents either. I hate that."

A big problem has been the exceptionally mild winter in Scandinavia. When the unit arrived in Helsinki in February the snow was several feet deep in places. It rapidly melted as spring arrived unexpectedly early. As he walked back to the set Apted glared at the rain-filled sky. "Snow," he said. "Snow, please, I need snow". When his prayer remained unanswered he moved the unit north above the Arctic Circle and used paper snow imported from England for storm scenes.

But Apted still faces his worst dilemma: how to deal with the terrifying opening sequence in which three bodies are found buried in Gorky Park, their faces removed by furrier's "We have plastic bodies,

extremely realisic and of course the heads are pretty ghastly to look at, but they have to be shown because it is crucial to the plot. I'm not making a horror movie and I don't want to be accused to showing gratuitous violence, or the results of it, so what I have done is filmed the scene from every possible angle and it is a problem I will solve when we get to the editing stage later this year back in the States." One problem remained inso-luble. The Soviet Union still has a world monopoly on the Barguzin sables that play such an important part in Gorky Park. Apted had to settle for

pine martens. A street scene I watched featured reconstructed Moscow telephone boxes, a Soviet steam-roller and a bakery with more than a thousand loaves of specially baked Russian bread. As William Hurt, "living" Renko, crossed the road with public prosecutor lamskoy (played by Ian Bannen), specially hired Volga, Lada and Moskovitch cars rolled by and a scene that may be reduced to one minute in

The "bakery" was a popular coffee house in Helsinki. The film crew worked through a Friday night to convert it, then restored it to its original purpose on the Sunday ready. for business on Monday. The bread? "We feed it to the ducks," said the unit's publicist. Howard Brandy.

"Joanna", he called. "Hey, come on over here, baby. I want you to meet a real live English journalist." Joanna Pacula, aged 25, is what Mr Brandy and his fellow PR men call "the face of things to come" - a former Polish Shakespearian actress playing Renko's dissident girlfriend, Irina. Miss Pacula

has a lot in common with Irina.
In December 1981, visiting friends in Paris, who included Roman Polanski, she heard that military rule had been declared in Poland and decided to stay in the West. "I have never been involved in politics. I just wanted to do my job as an actress, but they closed down the theatres. All my friends were without work. What could I do?"

From France she went to the United States, again staying with Polish emigré friends. In a diner on New York's 46th Street her handbag containing her passport and the small amount of money I had left", was stolen. "I went to the Polish consulate and they gave me emergency papers but I had no country, no job, no money. I was just staring at the wall, In the best Hollywood tradition, it was at this moment that the telephone rang. It was Howard Koch, asking her to audition for Gorky Park.

"He was looking for an East European actress to play Irina so he telephoned to Roman in Paris and Roman recommended me for the part He saw me on stage in Warsaw three years ago and told Howard I was a respected actress in Poland.

"How do I see Irina? She is very strong. Her dream is to live in the West and she uses every chance to get there, but she is vulnerable too and falls in love with Renko. Me? I would very much like to be an American. There is not much left for me in Poland.

Miss Pacula is from a little country town called Tomaszow Lubelski. "My father is an engineer, my mother a pharmacist. She has few qualms about the sort of attention she is thery. to get after the premiere of Gorky Park in December. "I find my new existing," very interesting," she said. "There are so many possibilities all of a sydden, in

shrugged. Even before the picture's completion she has a contract with Koch and Kirkwood for two more films and has received offers to make commercials for jeans manufacturers. "She's got a great future ahead of her if this film

succeeds," Koch said. "Can't miss, Howard," someone called, "can't miss."



Michael Apted with monosyllabic Lee Marvin, top left; and Joanna Pacula, "the face of things to come", in profile and with Hurt

I was startled to hear playwright Stephen Berkoff on the radio last

week making a joke about how hard it was to find the Barbican. Yes, he actually did. He came right out and said he'd none round it and past it but had never been able to find the

It is almost unbelievable that one of our leading writers should still be making 1982 jokes. Nobody has been making jokes about trying to find the Barbican since last autumn. when Channel 4 opened. Then people started making jokes about how hard it was to find Channel 4, or about how lucky people were who lived in places where you couldn't get it.

Channel 4 jokes have lasted quite well. They received a new lease of life recently when Mary Whitehouse complained of an offending item on it - perhaps

I say, have you heard the one about MOREOVER... Miles Kington

that purpose. As the cartoonist Spencer put it a few weeks ago: "Beats me how a channel watched by 5 per cent of the population can offend 95 per

But Channel 4 jokes are going out now, and TV-am jokes are coming in instead. In other words, people are beginning to ask how the comings and goings of performers watched by 1 per cent of the population can be of gripping interest to 99 per cent, and how TV-am can be the first channel in TV history which is read about instead of being watched. Punch's recent cover was as good a TV-am joke as any: a lone figure standing at the centre of a snowy waste saying: "David Frost. TV-am. South Pole."

So if you have a good remark about Channel 4, you should make it now. In another week's date, because people are now

about Channel 4. How varied it | gets pelted until the next Aunt is, how good the film and book items are what wonderful repeats and films they have, how refreshing the pop music programmes are, how unusually interesting their news coverage

But surely, you may ask, if Channel 4 is now getting praised, it must have been quite good to begin with. Why all the flak and criticism at the start? How can a national joke so soon be accepted as something quite good? The answer lies in the curious

habit the British have, and do not quite understand, of setting up Aunt Sallies in order not to knock them down. Almost every new set-up is pelted with time it will be totally out-of- mud, brickbats, custard pies and rotten tomatoes. It may world where you can get it, for beginning to say nice things deserve them, it may not, but it give you a good ride. British it's Terry Wogan, whose only pound coin, of course,

Sally comes along, at which point the pelting suddenly gets transferred and the recent target is cleaned up and becomes a much-loved part of the English

when people started lambasting the Barbican, they didn't really mean they hated the place. What they meant was: We're tired of making jokes about the National Theatre. Some time this year, I forecast. the Barbican will start becoming an established and much-loved part of the cultural scene.

There's no logic about it, but nobody ever singled out the British as a highly logical nation. British Rail is a perpetual Aunt Sally, for instance, even though most trains arrive comfortably on time and

Rail sandwiches are a constant source of good humour, even though they are now more respectable then most, and often freshly cut. I myself enjoy travelling by train in Britain, yet I still find myself making jokes about our trains.

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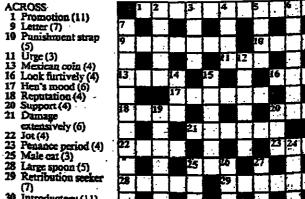
way the British select bogey men in the Labour Party Benn, Livingstone, Tatchell. Why is Arthur Scargill the baddy of trade unionists? Why do we always insist on there being one less than popular member of the royal family? Why must there always be somebody in showbiz who is a running gag for other per-formers? For many years it was Des O'Connor. Morecambe and Wise only had to mention the name and the audience disappeared under their chairs with laughter. Now, suddenly, it's not Des O'Connor any more - fault seems to be a slight touch

On the international scene, one of the most impressive figures of fun was the Norwegian singer who, five years ago, received an unprecedented zero score in the Eurovision Song Contest I have recently learnt that this, far from ruining his career, made it - he was swamped with fat-figure offers from all over Europe; I would even say that he was a household name, if only I could remember it.

There is a message of hope in all this for TV-am. You may be a figure of fun, but people love you for it, even if not to the extent of watching you. And before long something else will come along to receive all the brickbats, at which point you can sit back and sigh with relief. If you last that long, of

Meanwhile, brace yourself for this month's Aunt Sally. The

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Sold . . . to the man from Camelot

If, as seems very likely, Knolly made are carried out." So there was International, the company run by Mr Stephen Swid and Mr Marshall Cogan, gains control of Sotheby's, William David Ornisby Gore, 5th Baron Harlech, will add yer another string to his bow. Somehow or other, at the age of 64, he will find the time to be an outside administrative director - there are some who tip him as chanman - of a new Sotheby's board, just as he has found the time to combine the chairmanship of HTV, the indepen-dent television company serving Wales and the West of England, with the presidency of the British Board of Film Censors, not to intention involvements in the Royal Institute of International Affairs and several

charities and pressure groups.

A certain nimbleness of mind and body is needed to view the latest-Monty Python film and, immediately afterwards, take part in a discussion of defence and the Soviets Union without getting hopelessly mixed up. Lord Harlech coped admirably with this strange juxtaposition of appointments last week. but said that what he really liked about being the British Ambassader to Washington (1961-65) was that you couldn't do anything else at the same time". This must have been the only period in his life when no one was tugging at his sleeve, asking him to organise a pop festival here, a consortium there and, while he was about it, could he spread a little goodwill around Africa, too.

committed to the European Community and to electoral reform. When I suggested that the SDP might seem a natural home for a man with these convictions, he said he felt perfectly at home among "what I consider to be the wiser elements in the Conservative Party. I've never been tempted to leave; I suppose I'd be regarded as a Tory wet. I do think that the reorganization of industry could have been achieved without quite such a holocaust.

House of Lords, he doesn't go there much nowadays and thoroughly are late Cecils through and through. disapproves of its present composition. "The House of Lords doesn't represent any particular constituency in the country, so in any important clash with the Commons, it has to give way. I'd be in favour of an elected upper house, using a system of proportional representation; this is not a particularly radical suggestion. I think the present system leads to confroniation politics and is a travesty of

Lord Harlech, happy to ride a favourite hobby-horse, stretched his long legs in a well-satisfied manner. long legs in a well-satisfied manner the virtual end of his political carear.
We were sitting in his office at the but even when he realized that it London quarters of HTV. "I wanted that sort of thing," he said, and so he has. His office was designed by David Mlinarie in bright blocks of vellow and rusty pink. There is a boardroom table at one level and, lower down, a "conversation pit" with cushiony leather chairs and a the London School of Economics. view of the terrace. As working environments go it is perfectly

He had not really meant to be an almost full-time working chairman of a television company and was rather surprised when his consortium, which included Richard Burton and Elizabeth Taylor, was awarded the franchise in 1967. When it did win, Lord Hill of Luton, the then chairman of the then ITA (Independent Television Authority) said sternly. "I'm relying on you,

David, to see that the promises you

no question of him leaving.

In the same year, his first wife,

Sylvia, died in a car crash, at the age of 45 and after 27 years of marriage, and he thought that to resume his political career without her would be agonisingly lonely. Among the men in independent television, hardly a soft-hearted bunch, he has won great respect for the way he unites his company's two boards, representing the two different regions according to one executive, this is particularly impressive because the two boards look at each other "like Victorian explorers discovering a tribe of

He has also been a mildly persistent critic of the way independent television is run. He said that as a company HTV tended to have the philosophy of television and its political aspects "constantly under discussion" and this is borne out by the bask flow of letters to this

the busk flow of letters to this newspaper written by his managing director, Ron Wordley.

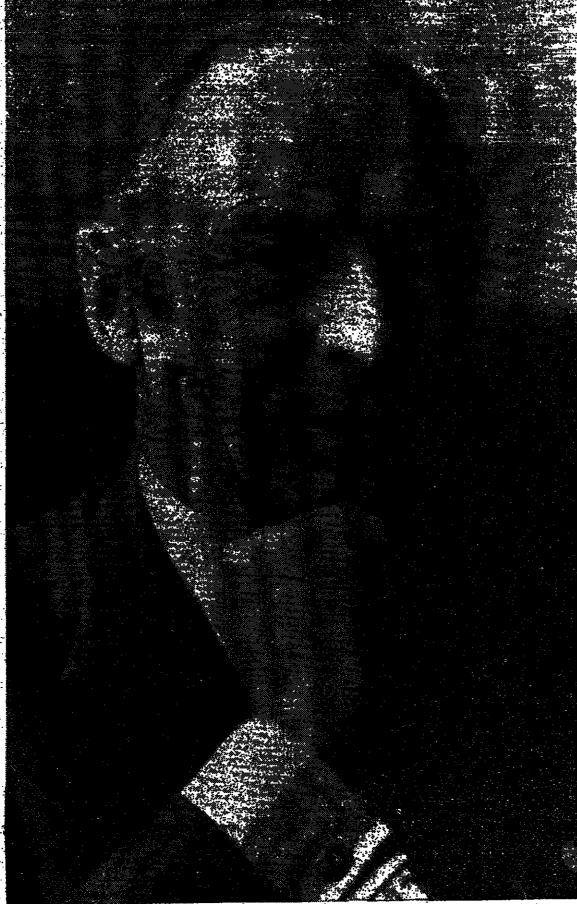
As David Ormsby Gore, he became Conservative MP for Oswestry in 1950, at the age of 32 and followed in several pairs of family footsteps. His father was a Conservative MP for 28 years and a Cabinet minister in Baldwin and Chamberlain governments. On his mother's side he is related to the mother's side, he is related to the great. Tory clans of Cecils and Cavendishes and, through his sister, Katharine, the Macmillans. Although he once longed to do He has always been equally something different and daring, such as going into business, "the pull was too great." His parliamentary career was enviably straightforward: PPS to Selwyn Lloyd then an Under-Secretary of state for foreign affairs and, 60 days later, Minister of State in the same department. I suggested that his family motto "Late but Earnest" could not really apply to a man who achieved so much, so early. He said that the motto belonged to his mother's family, the Cecils, and, as far as he was concerned, must refer Although he was once the Deputy to their famed unpunctuality, Leader of the Opposition in the Although he himself takes after the more punctual Harlechs, his sisters

> "When I was 16, I had to take an older sister to a formal dinner party. I kept on chivying her to get ready but she lingered and lingered and, by the time we got there, to my great mortification, our places had been taken away.

The early ladder-climbing seemed to point the way to his eventually becoming Foreign Secretary. In-stead, Harold Macmillan asked him to go to Washington as Ambassador. He took three days to decide whether to go. At the time, he didn't know that acceptance would mean would, he never regretted his

The deciding factor in his accepting the job was that his close friend, John F. Kennedy, had just become America's President. He had first met Kennedy when the latter was a 21-year-old student at Kennedy's sister Kathleen, married Lord Hartington, Lord Harlech's cousin and Harlech married Katleen's best friend, Sylvia Lloyd Thomas. The two families were more grimly united by death: both Kennedy's and Harlech's older brothers died young as did several

Kennedy thought Harlech "the wisest man I have ever known" and their friendship put several political noses out of joint. "It was a very exciting time", is all Lord Harlech will venture on the Camelot era and



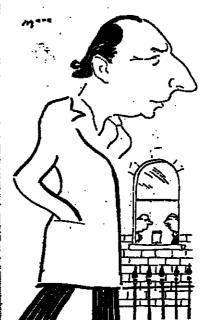
his promised account of the daily conversations with the President has never been published. But according to other sources. Harlech's influence was enormous. The Washington columnist, Andrew Tully, wrote that without Harlech's restraining influence, the Bay of Pigs episode might have escalated into war. To deal with such a potential powder keg must have required great sensitivity from the Ambassador, whose own mother, when he was a little boy, nicknamed him Trotsky because of his rebellious temperament. By the time he returned from

A weekly series reporting on scientific research:

Washington, the Sixties were begin-

the darlings of the King's Road, particularly his daughter Jane, who with her husband, Michael Rainey, ran one of the most exciting of the crop of new boutiques called "Hung on You". Lord Harlech, as much as his children, blossomed in the 1960s, which he recalled with wistful nostalgia. "Life was a very joyful experience. The philosophy that there was more to life than the rat race and the daily grind, all that I found admirable. I liked the idea that people, especially men, should look more beautiful, although this has not been wholly successful. I find it very odd that now we're all ning to swing. His children became back in pinstriped suits."

. He vividly described a dance given for his children in 1965 - "the year when everyone looked quite wonderful". The marquee was hung with a tapestry, the musicians played from a platform that rose out of the dance floor. "Cecil Beaton said it was the most beautiful dance he'd ever seen." He was the most supportive and sympathetic of parents. When his daughter, Alice, took up with Eric Clapton, during the musician's intensively drug-rid den period, he tried to help him come off drugs. For such gestures he received much abusive mail. Of his rainbow-clad children, one, Julian, found dead in 1974; the



His career

Born, May 20 1918 Educated Eton, New College, Oxford 1950-61 Conservative MP for Oswestry Division of Salop 1951 PPS to Minister of State for Foreign Affairs 1957-61 Minister of State for Foreign Affairs 1961-65 British Ambassador in Washington .



Lord Harlech with Jacqueline Kennedy in 1967

1964 succeeded father 1966-67 Deputy Leader of the Opposition, House of Lords 1965- President, British Board of Film Censors

1969-73 Chairman, Shelter 1973-78 President, Shelter 1969-75 Chairman, European Movement

1971-78 Trustee, Tate Galler 1979-Advisory Committee, V&A Chairman, Harlech Television Chairman, Kennedy Memorial

remaining four have adjusted to the more sober climate of the 1980s. Alice works in Paris; Jane, who has four children, lives in Wales and runs a shop selling kitchen equipment: Victoria, mother of three, lives in Ireland and Francis runs the family estates. Their lives are now far too industrious for the gossip

In 1967, after years of quietly respectful recognition of his achievements, he became an international celebrity over something that he didn't do, which was to marry Mrs. Jacqueline Kennedy. It would have been too much to hope that an eligible and handsome man who had

recently lost his wife could go on a trip with the most fascinating widow in the world without causing

"If I got on a plane, there would" be a journalist in the next seat. Newspapers even described the clothes I wore. In some respects, it was disagreeable to be followed everywhere but we tried to rise above it and have always remained good friends." This good friendship led to one newspaper publishing about Harlech a nine-part series and a Sunday colour supplement making him the cover story.

In 1969, he married a woman with the same assured New Yorkinspired elegance as Mrs Kennedy Pamela Colin was the London editor of American Vogue, a dynamic career woman. Thirteen years on. by a process of osmosis, she has the comfortably spread-out shape of... aristocratic Englishwomen and like them, she spends a lot of time

cooking superbly.

The Harlechs' wedding was attended by the Snowdons and Patti Boyd and George Harrison, something which perhaps prompted snarling New Statesman writer to say that Lord Harlech's not much a distinguished name as a glamorous one." The glamorous label stuck more firmly when he became the chairman of Great Western Festivals and wanted to organize a pop festival which wasn't a terrible rip-off for both artists and fans". His reward was more abusive mail and an obtrusive and unnecessary police presence at the festival.

Referring to Sotheby's, the word "unfair" was often on his lips. One "unfairness" was that Mr Graham ... Llewellyn, Sotheby's chief executive, ... has said that Mr Swid and Mr Cogan "know nothing about the art auction business and nothing about Britain". . In fact, both men sit on the boards of several museums and galleries and are art collectors. "I compare their achievements with those of some of the directors of Sotheby's, including the chairman," said Lord Harlech stonily.

He himself has been a trustee of the Tate Gallery and is on the advisory committee of the V & A. His wife, like her father, Ralph Colin, has a considerable knowledge of the art world and HTV is involved through its own fine art company, Frost and Reed. Little wonder then that the normally unflappable Lord Harlech got angry when a reporter suggested that he might be allying himself with the Philistines, "I thought that Mr Cogan and Mr Swid were not being fairly treated. It seemed to me that they had some reasonable ideas that Sotheby's ought to listen to but they weren't given a fair hearing. They would have liked to have had a friendly discussion but were denied see. After shareholders won the company. Chairmen can sometimes forget that this is the case."

It's an unpleasant situation but Lord Harlech is used to such things. The man who was Britain's special envoy to Africa on the problem of Zimbabwe in 1979 and described his role as "an exercise in quiet diplomacy"; the man who accused the Russian delegate to the UN, Mr Zorin, of "an intemperate and misleading outburst" without lasting harm being done, can surely organize the way pictures come under the hammer. And if it leads to more public baiting? Lord Harlech smiles tolerantly. "I don't worry about those things a great deal."

Penny Perrick

FINDINGS



Floating

a new theory These are the days, the shade of Solomon reminds us, when "the -debate". flowers appear on the earth; the

Dr. Mrosovsky edits the time of the singing of birds is come, and the voice of the turile. is heard in the land". This year's voice, as it happens is. likely to be the inspiration for a tair amount of Solomonic wisdom as scientists struggle to come to terms with a booklength argument that throws many of their most cherished assumptions into a cocked hat. The conservation of sea turnles is not, on the face of it, the most promising target for an

iconoclast. But any dedicated speciality breeds its own fanatic Leaving aside the author's obsessions, and these grotesque marine amphibia more than: most a protective tenderness that can only be described as maternal seems to motivate those scientists who study the

"Sea mrties are beautiful, complex creatures, mysterious likely to entrage. Captive bred or reared animals, enough to become addicting for the biologist, absorbing for similar to the ringing of birds, subspecies which may be enanyone to watch, and of great worth the considerable time and dangered by sheer genetic value for their eggs, theat, shell effort when most of the tags dilution if conservation or

Mrosovsky writes in Conserving Sea Turtles (British Herpeto logical Society, c/o Zoological Society of London, Regent's Park, London NWI 4RY, £5). His criticisms assume that "the intentions of those active in sea turtle conservation are irreproachable. It is only the means of proceeding that I wish to

and leather", Dr Nicholas

Marine Turtle Newsletter, an agreeable if irregularly pub-lished periodical of less than world-bearing circulation, from the University of Toronto, where he holds professorships in zoology and psychology. The British Herpetological Society is well aware that in publishing his book, it has entered "highly controversial and emotive" waters and could itself become one of the "victims of human dissension, power and territo-

some conservation arguments (for example that all species of them all. sea turtle are in danger of

probably fall off anyway? Head-starting capturing "Head-starting", " capturing batchings from the wild and rearing them in captivity for release later, is another popular technique, the theory is that the captive-reared turiles will be stronger and likelier to survive. Where is the evidence that head-starting", works? Or is it more of a ritual release, the is something a bit sinister, even obverse of animal sacrifice, a about the lugubrious marine ceremony made more for the turtle, when its protectors start benefit of the scientists than the playing God. "It might not be relevant to

inquire into these feelings if the science of head-starting were more robust". Dr Mrosovsky notes dryly. "But its weakness leaves a vacuum for the irrational and emotive." The Styrofoam box, curiously

enough, is another subject that causes the hearts of marine turtle biologists to flutter. The boxes are ideal for incubating eggs, they protect them from predators, are easily handled for study, and can improve hatching rates. But in the 1970s there began to emerge an absurd. even obscene, consequence of using such boxes: the minute temperature differentials between the Styrofoam and natural environments seemed to cause an imbalance between male and female hatchlings. About 23 per cent more males is

the latest thinking. The famous dictum of Ogden Nash - "The turtle lives 'twixt plated decks/Which practically conceal its sex" - still holds true, moreover. The only way commonscuse dismissal of accurately to sex a batch of hatchings is to kill and dissect

There are broader impliimminent extinction), it is his cations in much of this comments on technical and particularly when the question scientific matters that are most arises of what to do with the captive bred or reared animals.

ANIMALS commercial farming operations succeed in encouraging other races to flourish? At some stage, the author implies, conservation tech-niques and attitudes become self-defeating, and science is harnessed to the service of the scientist's ego not of the object he professes to hold dear. There is something a bit sinister, even

Pet subject



Konrad Lorenz is best known to non-specialists for his "imprintexperiments, one of

brood of goslings following thought he was their mother The great animal behaviourist, long since a Nobel Prize winner is 80 this year and among the many celebrations in his honour is an international symposium on relationships between humans and their pets, to be held in Vienna in October

Scientists from 14 countries including for the first time, several in eastern Europe, will discuss the mechanisms by which a human-animal bond can improve health, prolong life and render a wide range of social and behavioural prob-lems more amenable to treatment. Bizarre though it may seem, doctors, psychologist and social workers who have tried "pet therapy" are con-vinced of its benefits. The Americans, of course, are pioneers in the field, but most developed countries harbour enthusiasts, and Britain has its own Society for Companion Animal Studies, based in part at the Veterinary School of the University of Glasgow.



Jago, the orang-utan that made history

This is Jago, born in London zoo in Regent's Park on March 12, 1982, and pictured in the newly published Annual Report of the Zoological Society of London for that year, "The date was particularly notable for the captive breeding of this endangered species" because it coincides with the birthday of Bulu, Jago's 22ear-old grandfather. Jago is "the first orang-utan to be born in Britain from two captive-born parents", the report continues. The baby is being successfully reared by his mother Suka, despite

the fact that she was herself hand-reared. With a deficit of just under £1.4m at the end of 1982, the report makes sombre reading in some parts, although the society can claim more than enough captive breeding successes to be getting on with, including the rearing of the first gaur calf to survive in Britain, and the birth of two black rhinoceros calves, one of them named after Esther Rantzen. The giant pandas, as usual, failed to breed, although their perennially optimistic keepers say they are

Monster body



ned body called the International Society of Cryptozoology that has been formed to collate, investigate and (dare we suggest it?) inspire information on what might as well

be known as para-biological phenomena: "animals of unex-pected form or size, or unexpected occurrence in time and space, such as the yeti, sasquatch and the various lake monsters of the world."
Readers who have seen the Loch Ness monster or ET should write not to The Times, but to the Society at PO Box 43070, Tucson, Arizona 85733,

Zoo hideaway

Britain's first made-to-order bat cave is to be created at Whipsnade Zoo this summer. Bat populations are thought to be declining because suitable sites for hibernation have been in short supply of late: disused railway tunnels, which the artificial cave may well resemble, are ideal.

Running total Where are the



hares of years year? The Scottish Wildlife Trust and the Game Conserv Trust and the Game Conservancy, for a start would like to

know. The population of brown hares seems to have been declining since the early 1960s at about 3 per cent a year, although statistics are as clusive as the animal itself.

A vice-chairman of the trust writes in a recent issue of its magazine that he tried an ad hoc hare count last May during a northbound train journey . . . before the corn and hay crops were too high.

dark, my score of bares seen from the train window was as follows: Yorkshire 2, County Durham nil, Northumberland nil, figures which read more like a World Cup disaster than a count of what was until recently a common animal of the countryside".

Between York and mid-Nor-thumberland, when it got too

No evil aye-aye



The unnerving aye-aye

The simple folk of Madagascar, could hardly be blamed for seeing their very own aye-aye as in a portent of bad luck. With its enormous staring eyes that glowin the dark like a cat's or an owl's, its long skeletal fingers... and its unpleasant eating habits, ... encountering an aye-aye in the forest at night must be a little like watching Psycho while.

taking a shower.
The World Wildlife Fund is. changing all that, however, with an education programme to convince the islanders that the little creature, now, of course, very nearly extinct, is reallygood fun and nice to have around. The effort may besucceeding: ecstatic reports from a nature reserve off the northeast coast confirm the first ayeaye known to have been born in the wild for more than a decade The aye aye is the rarest of the lemurs and is thought to be one of man's earliest progenitors. It clambers through the trees at

night eating insects. Tony Samstag THE TIMES

DIARY

The news that large lumps are falling off the Capitol in Washington lends

further urgency to David Pinnegar's efforts to refurbish Hammerwood

Park, Sussex. Hammerwood was built in 1792 by Benjamin Henry Latrobe, who lived for a time in America as that country's first

professional architect and directed

the construction of the Capitol. He

was fond of architectural jokes. Prinnegar suggests that visitors might, for example, count the number of windows at Hammerwood from the inside and then the cutside. There will be evenings of Victorian music, readings and lactures throughout the suggest to

lectures throughout the summer to

raise money for repairs. Those who wish to attend are advised that dress

should be "decorative, comfortable or exotic", like the house.

London Weekend Television's "cekend World is planning one of those exercises in which political journalists are recruited to play the

parts of cabinet ministers. The project may be cancelled for lack of anyone to assume the personality of

Norman Tebbit, the Employment Secretary. The role was offered to our man in the lobbies. I fear he put

the phone down rather sharply, and now LWT say: "We have no fixed plans for such a programme."

There were snaes in the plan of the General Confederation of Greek

Workers to hold a European peace

conference for May Day. First, the conference was held in the bunker-like Hall of War Museum. Second.

the delegates received an official welcome to the European Confer-ence on "Disarmament, Detention

and Peace." There was no delegation

🚱 London taxi cab No 15497

two netices - requesting passengers

Choice assortment

ciety put in a bid on its own behalf.

Alan Wilson thought Sun Maid

bottle of champagne i have belatedly

At any price . . .

Peddled around

Growing panes

decided to award in a burst of Bank Holiday good humour goes to Reginald Spink who suggested that, as the German title is Die Entführung aus dem Serail. Security Express might be willing to handle the operation. I will be dispensing he more bubbly tomorrow when I er announce the result of the Design a sti Flag for Europe competition. ^{ag} Camera-shy in ITN and other British television pt news and current affairs crews are vi threatened with exclusion from at Israel. This is because the annual - conference of Alan Sapper's ACTT F resolved to ask members to "re-frain" from filming in Israel for

understand it is now to be reconsidered by the union executive next week. a The Austrian artist Friedensreich E Hundertwasser, having played a joke on the Russians when they tried to to-opt him as a spy in the 1950s (he scut them postcards of German churches) did not think the story so funny when I retold it in the Diary of April 4. He wants me to make it absolutely clear that he has never + spied for the Russians, and I am happy to oblige.

atiairs covered Times and current affairs coverage. The resolution, is passed in March referred to attempted genocide" in Lebanon

and the need for a political settlement in the Middle East. I

For the chop?

Independent Radio News bulletins vesterday carried an item about a rare lamb stolen from a Sheffield park, and an offer that if the thieves return it they can take any other lamb instead. I do not want to prejudice the baa-lamb's chances, but it is a prima facie offence under the Theft Act 1978 to advertise or - publish an offer of reward in terms suggesting that no questions will be asked. Fine: £100 on summary _conviction. I thought they should be



George Gillert has seen an end to Tory cuts. At the age of 85 he has retired from barber's chair in the

basement of the Carlton Club. Some would claim that he was the country's oldest working hairdresser but I do not want to I provoke a rash of sucient barbers | father of Richard Brinsley Sheridan, cager to contest the title. Before going to the Carlton, Gillert was at the Constitutional a few doors away. including Harold Macmillan and Sir AWinston Churchill, who was his most disagreeable customer. When Gillert was at the Constitutional the Savage Club had part of the same building, so Gillert tended stars like Arthur Askey and Wee Georgie Wood as well. Secretly I think he really preferred Savages to politicians as customers.

Salman Rushdie takes a dissenting view of 'Gandhi'

Truth retreats when the saint goes marching in

Deification is an Indian disease, and in India, Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi, great soul, little father, has been raised higher than anyone in the pantheon of latter day gods. "But why". I was asked more than once in India recently, "why should an Englishman want to deify Gandhi?" And why, one might add. should the American Motion Picture Academy wish to help him, by presenting, like votive offerings in a temple, eight glittering statuettes to a film that is inadequate as biography. appalling as history, and often laughably crude as a film?
The answer may be that Gandhi

(the film, not the man, who irritated the British immensely, but who is now safely dead) satisfies certain longings in the Western psyche, which can be categorized under three broad headings. First, the three broad headings. First, the exotic impulse, the wish to see India as the fountain head of spiritualmystical wisdom. Gandhi, the celluloid guru. follows in the footsteps of other pop holy men. The Maharishi blazed this trail.

Second, there is what might be termed the Christian longing, for a "leader" dedicated to ideals of poverty and simplicity, a man who is too good for this world and is therefore sacrificed on the altars of history. And third, there is the liberal-conservative political desire to hear it said that revolutions can, and should, be made purely by submission, and self-sacrifice, and non-violence alone. To make Gand-hi appeal to the Western market, he had to be sanctified and turned into Christ - an odd fate for a crafty Gujarati lawyer - and the history of one of the century's greatest revolutions had to be mangled. This is nothing new. The British have been mangling Indian history for

centuries.

Much of the debate about the film has concerned omissions: why no Subhas Bose? Why no Tagore? The film's makers answer that it would have been impossible to include everything and everyone, and of course selection is central to any work of art. But artistic selection creates meanings, and in Gandhi these are frequently dubious and in some cases frighteningly naive.

Take the Amritsar massacre. This is perhaps the most powerful sequence in the film. It made me cry. Both the massacre and the subsequent court-martial, at which outraged Englishmen question the unrepentant Dyer with barely suppressed horror, are staged accurately and with passion. But what these two scenes mean is that Dyer's Sultanas would leap at it, but the actions at Jallianwala Bagh were those of a cruel, over-zealous individual, which were immediately condemned by Anglo-India. And that is a complete falsehood.

The British in Punjab in 1919 were panicky. They feared a second Indian Mutiny. They had night-mares about rape. The court-martial may have condemned Dyer, but the British in India did not. He had taught the wogs a lesson; he was a hero. And when he returned to England, he was given a hero's welcome. An appeal fund launched on his behalf made him a rich man. Tagore, disgusted by the British reaction to the massacre, returned his knighthood.

In the case of Amritsar, artistic selection has altered the meaning of the event. It is an unforgivable

Another example: the assassin-ation of Gandhi. Attenborough considers it important enough to place it at the beginning as well as the end of his film; but during the intervening three hours, he tells us nothing about it. Not the assassin's name. Not the name of the organization behind the killing. Not the ghost of a motive for the deed. In a political thriller, this would be merely crass; in Gandhi, it is

Gandhi was murdered by Nathuram Godse, a member of the Hindufanatic RSS, who blamed the Mahatma for the partition of India. But in the film the killer is not differentiated from the crowd; he simply steps out of the crowd with a simply steps out of the crowd with a gun. This could mean one of three things: that he represents the crowd—that the people turned against Gandhi, that the mob threw up a killer who did its work; or that Godse was "one lone nut", albeit a lone nut under the influence of a sinister-looking sadhu in a rickshaw; or that Gandhi is Christ in a loincloth, and the assassination is the crucifixion, which needs no explanation. We know why Christ did Medical that other pricks live died. He died that others might live.

But Godse was not representative of the crowd. He did not work alone. And the killing was a political, not a mystical, act. Attenborough's distortions mythologize, but they also lie.

Ah, but, we are told, the film is a biography, not a political work. Even if one accepts this distinction (surely spurious in the case of a life lived so much in public), one must reply that a biography, if it is not to turn into hagiography, must tackle the awkward aspects of the subject well as the lovable side. The brahmacharya experiments, during which Gandhi would lie with young naked women all night to test his will to abstain, are well known, not without filmic possibilities, and they are, of course, ambiguous events. The film omits them. It also omits Gandhi's fondness for Indian billionaire industrialists (he died, after all, in the house of the richest of them. Birla House in Delhi). Surely this is a rich area for a biographer to mine: the man of the masses, dedicated to the simple life, self-denial asceticism who was financed all his life by super-capitalist patrons, and, some would say, hopelessly compromised by them? A written biography which failed to enter such murky waters would not

be worth reading. We should not be less critical of a film. Gandhi presents false portraits of most of the leaders of the independence struggle. Patel comes across as a clown, whereas he was one of the hardest of hard men. And it was witty to portray Jinnah as Count Dracula. But the important changes are in the personality of Nehru and in the decision to erase Bose from

In both cases, dramatic interest has been sacrificed in the interests of deification. Nehru was not Gandhi's disciple. They were equals, and they argued fiercely. Their debate was



central to the freedom movement -Nebru, the urban sophisticate who wanted to industrialize India, to bring it into the modern age, versus the rural, handicraft-loving, sometimes medieval figure of Gandhi: the country lived this debate, and it had to choose. India chose Gandhi with its heart, but in terms of practical politics, it chose Nehru. One can understand nothing about the nature of India's independence unless one understands the conflict between these two great men. The film, by turning Nehru into Bapuji's acolyte,

manages to castrate itself. And Bose is selected out, Bose the guerrilla, who fought with the Japanese against the British in the war, Bose whose views could have provided another sort of counterveight to Gandhi's and so improved the film. But Bose was violent, and the film, if it means anything, seeks to mean that non-violence works. and that it could work anywhere, in any revolution. All counter-art ments are therefore rigorously

The message of Gandhi is that the best way to gain your freedom is to line up, unarmed, and march towards your oppressors and permit them to club you to the ground; if you do this for long enough, you will embarrass them into going away. This is worse than nonsense. It is dangerous nonsense. Non-violence was a strategy chosen for a particular people against a particular op-pressor, to generalize from it is a suspect act. How useful would nonviolence have been against, say, the Nazis? Even in India, the leaders of

the independence movement did not succeed because they were more moral than the British. They won because they were smarter, craftier, better fighting politicians than their opponents. *Gandhi* shows us a saint who vanquished an empire. This is a

All devotees of unintentional comedy will relish the scenes in Gandhi in which Bapu re-enacts his marriage for the benefit of a western journalist; in which one man's nunger strike pacifies a rioting Calcutta, and repentant hooligans promise Gandhi that they will adopt Muslim orphan children; in which Mirabehn is played as a woman in a permanent hypnotic trance; or in which the partition is sorted out during a two-minute break in the independence negotiations. If this is the best film of 1983, God help the

What it is, is an incredibly was dedicated to the small-scale and to asceticism. The form of the film, opulent, lavish overpowers and finally crushes the man at its centre, in spite of Ben Kingsley's luminous performance (at least he deserved his Oscar). It is as if Gandhi, years after his death, has found in Attenborough the last in his series of billionaire patrons, his last Birla. And rich men, like emperors, have always had a weakness for tame holy men. for saints.

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"Stop, stop, John Gilpin! Here's the house!" The animal cannot be

reined before reaching his objective,

scrutiny by a number of scholars, none more diligent than the vicar of

St James's Upper Edmonton, in 1906. The Rev Lucius Fry, MA,

worked out by a complicated process

that John Beyer had made his ride in about 1743. From the top of

Cheapside his route would have been along Aldersgate Street gather-

ing speed (as the poem affirms) in

Tottenham, and so, via Dalston, to Edmonton. The Bell was a well-

known posting inn on the highroad

to the Fens, demolished about 1876

dates by about 50 years another bargain - a copy of the poem illustrated by Cruickshank, picked

up in Marsham Street, London, for a few shillings by David Temperley.

ago Mr Temperley, then an under-

graduate, now an antiquarian

bookseller, has built up a remarkable

collection of Gilpiniana. He is lending it to Guildhall.

Nearly 300 separate items crowd one room of his home in Edgbaston.

Birmingham. John Gilpin hangs from the walls; Gilpin is piled high

on tables, from plates, jugs and Victorian Staffordshire crockery,

Gilpin peers out of a glass-fronted

Cowper was pleased that, as a

result of Gilpin, he had "on a

sudden become so famous." He also

found it very strange that his most

ludicrous lines had been written in

the saddest of moods. Stranger still

From that chance buy 20 years

Edmonton is inclined to look on

The wind did blow the cloak did

over Stamford Hill, through

The escapade has come under

his stable at Ware.

Julie Davidson

Red Army's new camp follower

That's it, I thought, it has finally happened. The ultimate capitulation. Like some late deflowering of feminist purity I have admitted football to my life. And in Munich, of all places; in the hotel where once Hitler plotted Third Reich politics with his cronies. A lifetime's resistance to the terrible tyranny of excitements - at last began to crumble. I had joined Aberdeen's

For Aberdeen, the morning after they held Bayern Munich to a goalless draw was one milestone on their road to the final of the European Cup-winners Cup. For pression are not at all typical of me, it was a stepping stone on the path to compromise, a process effected, inevitably, by the loving fascism of marriage, wherein one partner's compulsion to share way, when "Butcher Cumbertand way, when "Butcher Cumbertand." insights and pleasures with the other becomes well-nigh fanatical.

The deal is that he now calls himself a feminist, although he has yet to earn that right, just as I have yet to earn the right to call myself a fan, which apparently is something you become only after 20 years' submersion in acid rain on empty terraces. But at least I can claim kinship with the city of the Dons and begin to go the way of all those who discuss football.

This is the first time that the slow developing Dons have reached a European final, and when they meet Real Madrid in Gothenburg on May 11 they will bring to the field an unusual compound of Scottish elements, none of which normally

In players, manager and directors fast, sharp, streetwise Glasgow energy joins forces with slow-mov-ing, far-sighted Aberdeen opportunism and admits a dash of manipulative Edinburgh manners. The manager. Alex Ferguson, and the captain, Willie Miller, come from Govan and Bridgeton, two of Glasgow's inner city obstacle courses for young ambinon; the star player, the little ginger-haired forward Gordon Strachan. comes from Edinburgh; and the directors represent the most efficacious qualities of oil and granite.

The Aberdeen board has only three members. Like the rest of the city the club dislikes waste and garrulity and this influential triumverate holds lightning meetings and makes fast decisions, displaying the kind of impetus which gave their ground, Pittodrie, the first all-seated

One morning in March I woke up in the Hotel Vier Jahreszeiten in bingo halls and the fine His Munich and began to nibble at a Majesty's Theatre, now the property scrap of song hanging in my head like a ragnail. The une was familiar of Aberdeen District Council. Dick's son Ian is another director and the machinery of promotion and public "Guantanamera". The words were novel: "One Willie Miller – there's only one Willie Miller." Other stray tunes, fractured lyries followed: "Come on, ye Reds... here we go, here we go, here we go, here we go... the northern lights of old Aberdeen".

That's it I thought it has finally distinct of the premier. leading spokesman for the premier division of the Scottish League

Perhaps the only characteristic of the Scottish stereotype missing from the Dons' composite is the mysti-cism of the Celts, who choose to play shinty instead; although Celtic doom may be represented in the club's intermittent flirtation with self-deresistance to the terrible tyranny of struction, something which is much football - the chants, the roars, the more Scottish than Aberdonian rabble-rousing rhetoric of its arcane After their heart-stopping defeat of Bayern Munich in the second leg of the quarter-final, when the two critical goals were scored within 13 minutes of the final whistle, they went on to lose a succession of silly games in the Scottish league.

These symptoms of manic de-pression are not at all typical of was on his way north to sort out the Jacobnes at Culloden, Aberdeen gave him a civic reception. Of all the Scottish cities it least needed the benisons of oil; it had prospered from agriculture, fishing and light industry but accepted the petroleum windfall as if it were no more than

It has been argued that the city's prosperity and indeed complacency militated against success in football for a long time. The club was founded in 1903 (some say it takes its nickname from the number of academics among its founder members) but it was 43 years before it hegan to build any kind of consistent reputation. Not hungry enough, the pundits said; Aberdeen lacks the partisan palates of the Glasgow clubs, the mean appetites of the Dundee clubs, the capital teeth of Edinburgh's Hibs and

But somehow it was inevitable that some day the Dons should find themselves as they do today, within reach of triple glory and poised to smash the dominance in Scottish football of Rangers and Celtic. They have already knocked Celtic out of the cup competition and meet Rangers in the final: despites stumbles they are still racing Celuc and Dundee United to the top of the premier league; and they are the only British team to reach a European final this season.

Forty-three years, after all, is a mere blink in the eye of a city which has set its sights on success for centuries. Slow to rouse, its emotions are now approaching ecstasy as 15,000 fans prepare to cross the sea

ground, Pittodrie, the first all-seated stadium in Britain.

The chairman is Dick Donald, patriarch of a durable dynasty which has owned and run most of the city's Sweden is another.

Gerald Kaufman

Mrs Thatcher, beware the Ides of May

abour had done exceedingly well in abour had made a net gain of 443 seats. This voting pattern reinforced the government's lead in the opinion polls and confirmed Harold Wilson's intention to seek a dissolution of Parliament. Six weeks later, Mr Edward Heath was in 10 Downing

Of course, there are considerable differences between May 1983 and May 1970. This Parliament has not run quite as long as its predecessor of 13 years ago. This Conservative government's lead in the opinion polls today is of much longer duration than Labour's in 1970. On the other hand, there are even greater similarities.

Now, as then, the Prime Minister is, at any rate according to poll findings, much more popular than the leader of the Opposition. Now, as then, there is a feeling in some quarters that the Opposition is so unready for battle that the Government must inevitably coast home comfortably to victory. In 1970 the balmy spring weather engendered even greater complacency, causing Labour supporters to believe that their party was home and dry. The government entered the election a confident winner. Its downfall was all the more devastating: hubris had been recompensed with Nemesis.

I am not seeking to prove that history is sure to repeat itself: history is not necessarily like that at all. What, on the other hand, cannot be denied is that no one is a winner until the finishing post is reached. In the next seven days Mrs Thatcher faces the most difficult decision she has ever had to make. I remember so clearly Harold Wilson's sunny press interviews in the garden of announced. I recall, despite my own optimism about the outcome, the of plastic. dull feeling at the pit of my stomach: the knowledge that this was it, that there was no turning back.

If Mrs Thatcher decides to go ahead and call a June election, she will be burdened with that knowledge 100. After all, she cannot really be confident of winning a spring election. Otherwise we would be in the middle of one now, she would not have had to wait for the local elections to confirm her certainty.

On the morning of May 8, 1970, I learn. Because of the higher turn-out reported to the Prime Minister that in the 1979 local elections, which me local elections in Manchester the parliamentary polling. Labour, on that otherwise catastrophic day, brought similar news from Coventry. Throughout England and Wales Labour had made a net coin 16.15 were held on the same day as the this week, these would not of themselves indicate a general elec-

tion victory for the Conservatives. No doubt the Conservative Central Office computer is already programmed to feed Thursday's voting patterns into the framework of the new constituency boundaries. Presumably, sophisticated extrapolations will seek to compensate for the low poli that is to be expected. However, even if the results turn out unequivocally good for the Govern-ment, these will not necessarily be translated into victory in a rushed

general election; the experience of 1970 wards of that if nothing else.

Mrs Thatcher has made a mistake that is already grievous, and which might turn our to be calamitous, by allowing election speculation to build up as much as it has. If she feels able to request a dissolution on the basis of favourable local election results, it will be clear that she has not done so in conformity with her Resolute Approach, since the resoluse thing to do would be to keep Parliament at work for its full term. She would be seen to be pursuing blatant party advantage. The Boadi-cea of the Falklands would have become just another conniving party politician,

"Cut and run", the label she fears most, would dog ber throughout the campaign. The alternative, however, is little more attractive. Mrs. Thatcher's reputation is vulnerable to delay as well as to haste. She told the Commons the other day. "I shall not cut out any options". Accordingly, if she rejects the June option it will now be obvious that she has done so because she remains unsure that she can win. Charges of cut and Number 10 on the afternoon of May run would be replaced by jeets that.

18. the day the general election was she is running away. The from Lady announced. I recall, despite my own would reveal herself as really made.

> The Prime Minister faces an unenviable dilemma for which she can blame no one but herself. As she agonizes at Chequers next weekend over her decision, which she has confirmed is hers alone to make, she will be haunted by the numinous words written 150 years ago by one Lorenzo Dow: "You will be damined if you do. And you will be damaed if you don't". I hope the weather keeps

Two centuries of a runaway success

Gilpinus erat municeps Honeste aestimatus: Londini etiam militum In oppido legatas.

No need, of course, to translate. For readers of The Times this version, put into Latin during the last century by "Roberto Scott, Collegii Balliolensis" who became Dean of Rochester, should set no problems. Some might however, have trouble with the Chinese and Persian renderings. Not everyone will be at home with the one in Orkney

There appears to be an unquenchable and international fascination in the epic comic poem more familiar which starts

John Gilpin was a citizen Of credit and renown, A train-band captain eke was he Of famous Landon town.

It is 200 years since THE HISTORY OF JOHN GILPIN, How he went farther than he intended and came Home safe at last appeared anonymously in "a select collection of fugitive pieces of wit and humour" called *The Repository*. This London publication in 1783 followed a fleeting appearance in The Public Advertiser the previous November.

The saga of the Cheapside draper who set out for Edmonton on a runaway horse and ended up at Ware in Hertfordshire, 14 miles further on, quickly caught the public fancy. Now it is almost part of folk

The 65 well-turned verses full of quirky humour blazed into popularity from the moment that John Henderson, the actor, giving readings at Free Mason's Hall with the put the poem into his repertoire in

1785. Within weeks London was flooded with chap-books, broadsides, prints and a musical version set to the tune of Chevy Chace. One print-seller sold 6,000 copies and this was just the start of a flood of Gilpin publications that has never

ebbed. The author emerged from behind a screen of anonymity. He was revealed as William Cowper of the Inner Temple, Esq., lay-curate and PHS writer of hymns, a man



Gilpin at the gallop: Caldecott's 1878 illustration

melancholic disposition in his early anniversary show. Gilpin's linenfifties living deep in Buckingham-shire and little suspected as a comic

Within half a century Gilpin was published in 45 varying editions and forms. It gave rise to sequels, parodies and satires. Artists from George Cruikshank to Randolph Caldecott, whose 1878 drawings are still kept in print by Frederick Warne, illustrated the poem. So did Phiz and John Hassall. In more recent years there has been a movie

cartoon.

More astonishing manifestations can be seen at an exhibition entirely concerned with John Gilpin at Guildhall Library until June 24. Gilpin and Cowper appear to have originated commercial

spin-offs. There have been Gilpin mugs, Gilpin articulated toys, Gilpin magic lantern slides, Gilpin jigsaws, Gilpin board games, Gilpin place-mats. No T-shirts yet, but this exhibition may

Ralph Hyde, the enterprising Keeper of Prints and Maps at Guildhall, has not had to search far for an excuse to mount the 200th

draper's shop may be identified with one which existed a few hundred yards from Guildhall. It was in Cheapside opposite the corner of Paternoster Row. William Cowper largely invented

the story, but there was a prototype Gilpin - a draper, John Beyer, born in 1693, who had a shop there. He died at Bath aged 98, some six years after being immortalized by the Like Beyer. John Gilpin wishes to

celebrate his twentieth wedding anniversary, and Mrs Gilpin chooses the Bell at Edmonton for a dinner to mark what she describes as the "twice ten tedious years" of their marriage. Because she fills the family chaise with her sister, her sister's child, and the three Gilpin offspring, John is forced to follow on a borrowed horse.

Hardly clear of the City the "nimble steed" breaks into a headlong gallop, and Gilpin, clutching the horse's mane, loses hat, wig and gown as well as two bottles of wine which the frugal Mrs Gilpin has insisted he carry.

Horse and rider flash past the Bell

what amounts to a Gilpin industry.

cupboard.

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is the way his poem has given rise to Nor will this Thursday's voting tell Felix Barker her as much as she would like to Manchester Ardwick

fine for her. The author is Labour MP JOS

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A PRINCELY PERFORMANCE

The Queen is Queen of seventeen monarchies in the Commonwealth. That position may seem to defy the exacting notions of modern political science. However, it remains a fact that this monarchy is still a potent symbol of national unity and constitutional leadership in sixteen completely free countries, independent of Britain, which are literally continents apart geographically, socially and culturally. It may be asked how a single person can encompass so many identities, and there is no obvious answer. It must lie at the deeper level of consciousness among the countries concerned. How else can one explain the monarch's ability to cross these continental divides and retain hold of the allegiance of Australasian, North American, Caribbean. Asian and Polynesian

Moreover, the position of the Crown in the British body politic is enormously strengthened by this extra dimension. It puts the Queen, vis a vis her British Prime Ministers, at a much greater advantage than, say, the Benelux or Scandinavian monarchies. They do not have other Parliament can not change the Prime Ministers with rights of access and continuous close relations scattered across the globe. This strength is vividly monwealth monarchies. portrayed at each meeting of the Commonwealth heads of

government It is with this constitutional background that the Prince of Wales, with his bride and their son, have just completed their first overseas tour in the Com- their baby, they were seen by bunting and the acclamations,

with its various ramifications

occupies the headlines and the

United States Secretary of State,

makes do with an Assistant

Secretary of State and the

occasional mention on an inside

page. So much the better for

Turks and Greeks. Since 1974

they have managed to avoid

killing each other, and long may

standings between them have

not been solved, though. Last

week they emerged again into a

flickering semi-limelight when

the Greek government abruptly

cancelled its appointments with

Mr Richard Burt, the Assistant

Secretary of State for European

Affairs, in reaction to remarks he

By far the most serious and

sensitive issue dividing the two-

peoples, because of its human

dimensions, is still that of

Cyprus. Nearly nine years after

the Turkish intervention there

the northern two thirds of the

island remains occupied by

Turkish troops and the Greek

Cypriot inhabitants of that area,

who claim to number two

hundred thousand, are still excluded from it. Greeks of

Greece and Greeks of Cyprus

alike regard this as a crying

international scandal, and make-

no secret of their scepticism

about the never-ending inter-

communal talks (between Greek

and Turkish Cypriots) as a

These talks, they say, will

never produce results unless

been the moribund state of

relations between China and

Eastern Europe. During the last

ten years of his life Mao showed

an interest in the countries of

Chinese counterparts.

remedy for it.

had made while visiting Turkey.

The grievances and misunder-

they so continue.

wrangle

Greco-Turkish

empire before accession. King naturally be prudent counsel to George VI, though he went to caution against the possibility of Australasia as Duke of York and Canada as King, never visited India, unlike his father and grandfather, who became duly seduced by its magic. Perhaps establishment of an Indian quent visitor and anyway a republic; yet it also ushered in the era of a mixed Commonwealth of monarchies and repubalso be exhaustion. The Princess, lics, which must stand as one of the lasting monuments to King George's wisdom and tolerance of the implications of a post-

Imperial crown.

and Princess of Wales has seventeen nations. That should tend to forget the Commonwealth dimension when proposing changes in the status of the independent monarchies - mak- engaged wherever they are. ing the Queen the Queen of Canada, for instance, or Fiji succession without consultation the Parliaments in other Com-

and Princess of Wales - or by their travelling with their son. perhaps one should say the In another hemisphere, but so Prince and Princess of Australia, also thus in the Britain to which or New Zealand, because that is they will return, the promise of what they are too - came with that wedding, with its music, its monwealth. Traditionally the multitudes, and by all accounts have now been confidently heir to the throne travelled the they conquered. There will fulfilled.

ARMS ACROSS THE AEGEAN

While the Arab-Israel conflict Turkey, the occupying power, is concerned win Turkey's exposed

there is no sign of that, they have

two acrimonious side issues

between Athens and Nicosia, to

take their case once again to the

The United States administ-

ration has no particular liking for, or faith in, the UN General

sin, in the eyes of

Turkish hosts by publicly criti-

had no direct connexion with

military aid. This ratio was first

established de facto in 1976,

to buy off Greek opposition to

the lifting of the Congressional

embargo on United States arms

deliveries to Turkey, imposed

after the intervention in Cyprus.

United Nations.

Nations.

willing to compromise. Since position bordering the Soviet there is no sign of that, they have Union, disagrees with this policy

decided, after clearing up one or is not news. Nor was it surprising

mass interest such as befits the lions of the entertainment world. It must indeed be a strain for the Princess to be the object of such. friendly intensity (Prince Charles that was fortunate, since King after all is an old hand at being a George's reign was to witness the celebrity, besides being a fre-

former schoolboy in Australia). If there is elation, there must for all the worryings which have been voiced about her youth, her upbringing from a broken home, her slender education, has shown that she has the courage to meet The reception of the Prince these obligations in her own way.

Perhaps it was not until she strikingly reasserted the point and her husband could get that the royal family belongs to continents away from the timeworn conventions of the British also be a welcome reminder to court that she was able fully to those British politicians who find her public character and the inner confidence to sustain it uninhibited by the proximity of that court, or the Oueen (who crown. Under the terms of the besides being Queen is also a Statute of Westminster in 1931, mother-in-law), and about whose which established the concept of business all the Royal family are

new maturity in the couple, moulded together now more as a partnership in the public imaginand simultaneous enactment by ation than has always been the case in Britain, with their separate programmes and with-The young couple have also out frequent demonstrations of done more than that. The Prince the family cohesion so reinforced

The tour has thus revealed a

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Improvement of pre-trial procedures

approach.

Complaints Board

Sir, In your Legal Affairs Correspondent's admirably succinct account (April 25, 26, 27) of the amended form of the Government's Police and Criminal Evidence Bill attention is drawn to the omission of two of the Royal Commission on Criminal Procedure's main proposals, a public prosecution service separate from the police and the tape recording of interrogations in police

It is inferred that in the eyes of many the balance of the Bill, as compared with that envisaged by the royal commission, is wrong and is not capable of being put right. This line of criticism appears to assume that the reform of the whole of pretrial criminal procedure, including both investigation and prosecution, could and should be comprehended in one and the same statute. I am bound to say that this was never assumed by the royal commission, and as chairman I did not regard it

stations.

as practicable In announcing the establishment of the royal commission the then Prime Minister said that it would be concerned essentially with matters of principle, a prescription which we followed in developing the framework for re-formulating pre-trial procedures which, in fact, had not been comprehensively reviewed for 150 years; and we went into detail only to the extent necessary to test the practicability of our proposals and to illustrate how they might

Much essential further work was deliberately left to the Home Office, to the Attorney General's department, and to the legal and parliamentary draughtsmen, including, for example, the reform in detail of the police complaints system and the formulation of codes of practice

Sir, Mr Gerald Kaufman, MP, writes

an article (April 25) about the problems caused by the fact that a

certain current Bill does not clearly

state how it applies to past transactions. Such complaints are

very commonly made by frustrated

As a parliamentary draftsman I

feel frustrated about this perennial

problem myself, but for a different

reason. There is a simple answer to

it, which is ignored. Mr Kaufman, as

is usual with Opposition politicians.

blames Government ineptitude. The

Every Act of Parliament should

contain a brief "historical file" stating exactly how each of its provisions applies to past events.

This simple technique, which I have

Lord Stow Hill 10 years ago. It has

from time to time been put forward

since. All the official bodies and

persons concerned with the form of

to blame for the constant confusion

over the commencement of Acts, it

would help if they took an interest in points like this. What may appear

dry points of technicality vitally

Sir, We need the BBC (Howard

Davies, feature, April 26) for unless

we expect an infinite number of

Assume that 5 per cent of the

population would watch drama, 95

per cent football. A monopolist, to

maximise his market, will supply

both. The first commercial supplies

would provide soccer, obtaining 95

per cent of viewers. So would the

second supplier, for he would still be watched by 47.5 per cent of all potential viewers as compared with

the 5 per cent who would prefer drama. The next 17 suppliers would

Assuming that the area in which

"the poor" live is cabled, they may

find the cost of cable even higher

than a regressive licence fee. A connection charge will be levied in

one form or another, just as much of a burden as a licence fee but without

provide football . . .

per-view.

April 26.

Yours faithfully.

GARY RICHARDS

23 Stowe Road, W12.

will not be catered for by cable.

affect the functioning of our laws.

Yours sincerely.

24 St Aubyns,

Hove, East Sussex.

April 25.

FRANCIS BENNION.

While politicians are not directly

our legislation have ignored it.

real blame lies elsewhere.

Use of statutes

statute users.

From Mr Francis Bennion

From the Chairman of the Police to govern interrogation and identifi-

In putting forward the Bill in its present form, whilst at the same time indicating its commitment to the principle of tape-recording interviews subject to further experiment, the Government is proceeding consistently within the general

Likewise the Government has indicated its acceptance, in the Home Secretary's words, of strong case in principle for a prosecution service independent of the police" and has set up a working party to examine the main options and to prepare the way for further primary legislation in the full knowledge that there is no question of being able to get it ready for inclusion in the present Bill.

Meanwhile, accepting the royal commission's conclusion that the transition to an independent prosecution service would need to be a gradual process, the Government has taken additional steps in the direction indicated by the royal commission. The Attorney General has provided guidelines on criteria governing prosecution, which are now available for the use of chief constables; and the Home Office is quickening the admittedly drawn-out process of establishing prosecution solicitors' departments in all police forces, a step which the royal commission regarded as important in moving steadily to a nationwide and statutory service.

In assessing fairly the broad balance of the policy of which this Bill forms one part it is necessary not to discount the above consider ations.

Yours faithfully, CYRIL PHILIPS, Chairman, Police Complaints Board, Waterloo Bridge House, Waterloo Road, SE1. April 29.

Outside the system

From Mr G. E. Hester

Sir, Your informed leading article, 'Schools outside the system" (April 23), rightly points out that in England and Wales "the religious compromise set out in the 1944 Education Act has been remarkably successful

Perhaps, however, you are right to use the past tense since the voluntary schools seem to be under attack from the left and the right. The left wants to scrap them on ideological grounds, and if it can threaten Roman Catholic schools in Liverpool, then nowhere else can feel safe. The right claims to support voluntary schools, but in practice makes cuts in the name of costeffectiveness.

Your leading article observes that the Roman Catholic teachers' colleges . . . are among the country's best". Yet one of them, De La Salle. near Manchester, is under threat of closure. The Catholic authorities have had to go to the courts to try to obtain traditional consultation and procedures.

The system of voluntary schools that your leading article mentions is indeed a fine system, but it is under threat and those who value it must be vigilant.

G. E. HESTER, Headmaster. St Joseph's RC School, Bolton, Lancashire. April 23.

Rewarding volunteers Need for the BBC From Mr G. R. Richards

From Mr J. Fleming

Sir, In view of the proposed voluntary scheme to give youngsters experience in the armed services, is it not appropriate to consider wider provision for unemployed people wishing to take part in other voluntary schemes?

At present a youngster wishing to do voluntary work must forfeit his unemployment benefit since he is technically "unavailable for work". However, such work, for example with handicapped or elderly people, is often found to be highly rewarding, providing the youngster with confidence and self-respect, not to mention a sense of responsibility; surely true "character-building

Youngsters should be encouraged to get involved with all kinds of voluntary projects, not penalised financially for showing such initiative. To say they are making themselves unavailable for work is both cruel and unrealistic. The alternative of enforced idleness is far

work.

the right to watch programmes. They would be extra, for this is paymore likely to keep people unfit for

table.

April 23.

Yours faithfully, J. FLEMING, 279 Upton Lane, Forest Gate, E7. April 15.

Desirable residence

From Sir Robin Hooper

Sir, With respect to Mr Noakes (April 23) the present British Embassy and former Consulate General at Tunis was not, as is often suggested, presented to Queen Victoria. It was placed - in 1858, not 1885 - at the disposal of the then Consul General, Sir Richard Wood; and the arrangements under which we hold it not finally codified till 1929, still provide that the property continues in the ownership of the Tunisian state and that if your foreign staff were to have their way and we were to move to accommodation more suited to our present reduced circumstances, it would

revert to Tunisia. We acquired our railway station as part of an agreement with the company which, at the end of the last century, built a light railway from Tunis to La Marsa, which was to pass across Consulate land. The railway was torn up after the last war. and, sadly, only the station platform remains.

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When Tunisia became independent we could not, unfortunately, run to an equivalent building in London - in fact, the suggestion that we might wish to do so came not through the Tunisian Ambassador but, with typically Tunisian tact and delicacy, by way of a private and unofficial approach to our first Ambassador to Tunisia, the late Mr Angus Malcolm. However, we did our modest best with £500 worth quite a considerable sum at the time of silver for the London Embassy

May I be forgiven for adding that during my tenure, the field next door, which ran right up to the embassy walls, came up for salc. Development would have been a disaster, and I asked if I might buy it. Permission, and the money, were forthcoming within the week. Those were the days. Yours faithfully, ROBIN HOOPER, Brook House,

Yours truly, IAIN MONCREIFFE OF THAT ILK, Easter Moncreiffe,

Questions over aid to Third World

From Professor Walter Elkan

Sir, Professors Bauer and Yamey (feature, April 11) do not need me to defend them from the barrage of hostile comment that their excellent and courageous article has elicited. But it may have escaped readers' notice that most of the letters cited examples of excellent help provided by voluntary agencies, like the Save the Children Fund, Oxfam and VSO (Voluntary Service Overseas) as a rebuttal of Bauer and Yamey's central point, which was that official aid cannot significantly promote Third World development.

It is true that in a short article packed with challenging ideas they did not make that distinction clear, but I would be surprised if they were not perfectly prepared to concede the usefulness of much of the work, done on a shoestring, by the voluntary agencies and to applaud it, as I do.

Their scepticism was directed at official aid, provided by governments and multilateral organizations like the UN, the European Development Fund and the World Bank, only a minute fraction of which is channelled through the voluntary organizations and most of which goes directly to governments of the recipient countries

This scepticism, which Bauer and Yamey were the first to voice, decades ago, is now very widely shared, but few have the courage to say so in public or to acknowledge the debt they owe, especially to Professor Bauer, for helping to change the climate of opinion over

the years. Frank Judd, in his letter of April 25, says: "Aid is effective if channelled in the right direction". Who could disagree? The problem is that a large part (not all) of official aid has not been and that the obstacles to a proper use of aid seem always to elude the donors. Yours faithfully.

WALTER ELKAN. Brunel University.
Department of Economics,
Uxbridge, Middlesex. April 26.

From the Prime Minister of Belize Sir, Foreign aid, in our economic cooperation programmes, has helped the development of Belize, contrary to the thesis of Professors Bauer and Yamey in their article, Why we should close our purse to the Third World", appearing in The Times of April 11. Minister Marearet

Prime Thatcher deserves to be encouraged to continue doing what is right and

Belmopan, the small new capital of Belize, was built in cooperation with the United Kingdom, part grant, part loan. The poor benefited from employment and learnt better PO Box 30125, Nairobi, Kenya.

building techniques to apply to future development. The Belmonan Hospital and schools serve the poor of the area.

The poor have benefited also by roads and bridges, built in part with aid funds. They help open markets to poor farmers.

A modern water and sewerage system in Belize City, in cooperation with Canada, the European Economic Community, the United States of America, added to our limited resources have been invested in schools, hospitals, houses and other infrastructure for the benefit of our people, most of whom are among

This praiseworthy cooperation has done much for the poor of Belize, whose government is committed to improving the material standards of life. Sincerely.

GEORGE PRICE, Office of the Prime Minister, Cayo District, Belize, Central America.

From Mr A. Michael Wood

Sir, The arguments put forward by Professors Peter Bauer and Basil Yamey in your issue of April 11 concerning the inefficacy of aid are valuable in making us rethink aid in relation to development. I believe that this view, even if somewhat overstated and unduly cynical, is a healthier one than that propounded in the two Brandt reports.

For those of us working in developing countries the misuse of official aid is a commonplace occurrence and bas led to a general disillusionment in the whole process. The fault, sometimes, is with the donor who has not monitored the grants and loans sufficiently tightly to ensure that the money is spent as it was intended. It is evident now, however, that this lesson has been learnt and that the accountability and administration of aid is being better handled than previously.

The voluntary agencies who do work among the poorer sections of the community in developing countries maintain that, in large measure, aid given through them goes further and to the people it was intended to help. There are, of course, mistakes and failures but the plight of the poor in the developing world would be far worse if it wasn't for the work of countless agencies who are attempting to make life for these people more tolerable until such time as they are able to stand on their own feet.

Yours faithfully. A. MICHAEL WOOD, Director General, African Medical and Research Foundation (AMREF).

CND and propaganda

From Mr P. G. Hawkins Sir, In your leading article (April 21) you observed that "a wide variety of people are clearly prepared to join the CND because they wish for onesided nuclear disarmament...." suspect that many people may also be persuaded by current CND appeals into joining without even realising that one-sided nuclear disarmament is, and always has been, a fundamental tenet of CND

policy CND leaflets currently being distributed to Oxford residents make no mention of unilateral nuclear disarmament and ignore the deterrent purpose of the West's nuclear weapons. They base their appeal for membership and funds exclusively on fear of consequences

the United Kingdom.

The message they put across is: "Cruise and Trident will make you a target for nuclear attack and will be ineffective to defend you in the nuclear war which will follow - so help to ensure that they are not installed by joining CND and completing the attached banker's order. This is the only way to ensure that you and your children survive".

This appeal to the emotions is at least misleading, if not downright deceitful. Today's consumer protection legislation ensures that no advertiser of goods or services could get away with such misrepresentation. Why should organizations such as CND be able to do so? Yours faithfully,

P. G. HAWKINS, 25 Upland Park Road, Oxford,

declared that if no agreement is

Alliance and cruise

From Lord Mayhew Sir. Mr Geoffrey Smith (feature, April 26) forecasts with reasonable accuracy some of the policies likely

to be adopted by the Liberal-Social Democratic Alliance in the field of defence. But on cruise missiles he misses the point. A Soviet-American agreement at Geneva will not be reached without concessions on both sides; and in

their negotiating postures both sides have to take serious account of Britain's willingness or unwillingness to deploy.

The British Government has House of Lords,

reached it will deploy: this relieves the Americans from any British pressure to make concessions. The Labour Party has declared that it will not deploy in any circumstances: this relieves the Russians from any British pressure to make concessions. But if we declare, as the Alliance is likely to recommend, that we will deploy or not deploy according to the negotiating pos-itions of the two sides, we shall be bringing powerful pressure on both of them to agree. Yours faithfully,

Democratic monarchies Flight of fancy

From Sir Jain Moncreiffe of that Ilk Sir, King Umberto's recent death in exile reminds us that the majority of genuine democracies in Europe safely west of the iron curtain, whose people can choose their fate, are constitutional monarchies: the three Scandinavian monarchies, the three Benelux monarchies, ourselves and renascent Spain, not to mention happy Liechtenstein and Monaco.

they asked politely. How is Elizabeth?" and were thrilled to see the Queen's portrait on our coins. Yet when I telephoned soon afterwards to the West German Embassy in London to ask their President's name, the answer was: "Sorry, I'll find out." It turned out to be Scheel. And how many Africans or Americans who know our splendid Queen could name the worthy Presidents of Italy and Greece today?

Why, then, are the Italians so afraid of true democracy that neither the late King Umberto nor his heirs are allowed to live (or even die) in Italy in case, after getting to know them, the Italian people were to choose to exercise what should be their democratic right to re-elect them to be their constitutional monarchs if it were to become the popular will?

From Mr W. J. B. Salisbury

Sir, The evidence of a BBC Unnatural History Unit (letters April 19, 23) has not always been so prevalent. In the good old days, "FX" had to be right. It Bristol. where the present NHU Library was born, such producers as Mollie Austin taught me (a young "effects" man) to shun the collared dove in Lorna Doone's Exmoor, not only Some years ago we travelled the bird had to be right, the through Red China. Everywhere recording of it had to have been made in the appropriate month. Heaven help a producer who allowed a LNER engine to chuff out of Paddington, or a careless use of coconut shells to produce a threelegged horse.

> Brandon Acton-Bond was another West Region perfectionist for whom scoured the Dorset landscapes for vistas without TV acrials or telegraph poles. He rejected hedges chopped by modern trimmers, and even a local cow which was required to make a brief appearance in the background was heavily made up.

I did, silently, wonder how many viewers would have noticed the anachronism of a Friesian in

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Thomas Hardy. Yours faithfully, W. J. B. SALISBURY,

Gardena, Back Lane. Draycott, April 23.

presage a sea-change in China's. fences with communist parties attitude towards East Europe as further East. a whole, especially since leading largely unaffected.

Communist League of Yugosla-

Now, it seems, the time is ripe while another is going to Prague for a fresh approach to the and Sofia. which it is paying increasing Secretary of the Chinese Com- following each move.

An enduring result of Chairman attention to the political and munist Party, Hu Yaobang to Mao's Cultural Revolution has economic potential of Europe. Romania and Yugoslavia, which Its tentative moves towards begins this week. But whereas better relations with the Soviet Hu Yaobang's visit - his first Union have opened the way to a since taking charge of the reassessment of its policies towards the Soviet bloc as a

the Eastern Mediterranean".

extent that they displayed a marked degree of independence from Moscow. In practice this meant that only the Albanian respects the goods and equip-and Romanian Communist par-ment available from Soviet bloc ties were able to maintain good countries are better suited to working relations with their China's needs than those from Shortly after Mao's death in steps that the Chinese Commu-1976, his policy was modified, in nist Party has been taking to so far as the Chinese Communist restore ties with orthodox via, and soon afterwards severed Soviet Communist Party of all links with the Albanians. At France - have been leading it the time these moves seemed to inexorably towards mending its

Chinese economists like Sun Eastern Europe has been grow-Yefang were starting to show a ing, in parallel with the recent lively interest in the economic increase in trade between China models of Hungary and Poland and the Soviet Union - though as well as Yugoslavia. But China's trade with the Soviet perhaps because of China's bloc is still only a fraction of its opening to the Way and Young opening to the West and Japan, trade with the West. There have not to mention the continuing been cultural, educational and Sino-Soviet dispute, relations athletic exchanges. And this between China and the rest of month a Chinese foreign minis-Eastern Europe were in fact try official is due to visit East Berlin Warsaw and Budapest,

problem. The gilt has worn off. Their visits will be over-China's relationship with the shadowed by the much-publi-United States, as a result of cized visit of the General and with Moscow's watchful eye

SINO-SATELLITE RELATIONS

Eastern Europe only to the whole. Economic planners and administrators in China have been moving to the view that in some the capitalist world. And the Europe - including the pro-

Trade between China and

the picture. In spite of their more tolerant and receptive view of the communist world, the Chinese still insist that they will have no truck with communist Party reestablished ties with the Communist parties in West parties that interfere in others' affairs - meaning first and foremost the Soviet Communist Party. In a more general way they continue to harbour deep suspicions of Soviet aims and intentions, suspicions amply reciprocated by Mr Andropov and his colleagues. As long as Sino-Soviet relations are inhibited in this way, there will be strict limits on the dealings between China and Moscow's

> So while China and Eastern Europe may gradually succeed in breaking out of the impasse in their relations, there is no question of a speedy or dramatic rapprochement between them. Relations if they evolve will evolve slowly, with the cantion born of twenty years' hostility,

allies in Eastern Europe, at both

government and party levels.

disagreement to his Turkish hosts. It was perhaps tactless of him to do so publicly just before his scheduled arrival in Athens, where he was reported as having described the ratio as "artificial" or even "absurd and ground-The Greek government's indignation may have been not space to elaborate here, was put genuine enough. But the incident to the Law Commission by the late also had its uses for Mr

that Mr Burt should voice this

Assembly, and it knows that Furkey strongly resents attempts by the Geeks to browbeat her through the UN. Part of Mr. Greek government, was that Papandreou, who tried (unsucwhile in Ankara he gratified his cessfully) to head off a minor industrial crisis at home by cizing the Greek attempt to deflecting left-wing anger against internationalize the Cyprus issue the Americans, and adopted a by raising it at the United tone of outraged national dignity to formulate a position on the But the main source of Greek future of American bases in umbrage in Mr Burt's remarks Greece which is actually slightly softer than before. He is no Cyprus. It was his rejection of a longer demanding a date for the the seven-to-ten ratio which removal of the bases but only for Congress is seeking to maintain the expiry of the agreement,

between Greece and Turkey in leaving open the possibility of the allocation of United States renewal. The chances are that when Mr Reginald Bartholomew, the when Dr Kissinger was anxious United States negotiator, returns to Athens in mid-May he will be able to satisfy the Greeks both

on this point and on the issue of balance between Greece and Turkey. Congress is a powerful It has never been formalized, but ally and the Administration, while it may find Mr Papandreou tiresome, does want to appropriations so as to maintain keep its Greek bases. But real the current balance of military friendship between Greece and the United States is unlikely so long as the Cyprus issue remains

Congress has consistently amended successive foreign aid strength among the countries of

That the Administration, unresolved.

channels to be offered, minorities

Chinese Communist Party two years ago - is the latest in a series of top-level exchanges with Romania and Yugoslavia, his foreign ministry colleagues will be breaking new ground, and,

discreetly restoring contacts broken off in the early 1960s. It would not do to overdraw

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COURT AND SOCIAL

COURT The President of the Republic of Treland is 60 CIRCULAR The Duke of Kent, vice-chairman of the British Overseas Trade Board,

BUCKINGHAM PALACE April 30: The Queen this morning opened the National Horseracing luseum at Newmarket.

Having been received by Her ajesty's Lord-Lieutenant for Majesty's Lord-Lieutenant for the Football Association, ac-Suffolk (Sir Joshua Rowicy, Bt) and the Chairman, Council of the National Horseracing Museum (the Wembley on May 21. the Chairman Council of the National Horseracing Museum (the Lord Howard de Walden), The unveiled a commemorative plaque.
Lord Porchester and Mr Michael
Oswald were in attendance.

Queen toured the Museum and Princess Alexandra will open therapeutic swimming pool at Mayfield School, Chorley, Lancashire, on July 5.

The Hon Alastair J. Keith and Miss J. W. Teagle

Major S. M. J. Potter and Miss J. J. Adair

The marriage took place at Bethseda-by-the-Sea, Palm Beach, Florida in the United States, on

Saturday, between the Hon Alastain James Keith, son of Lord Keith of

Castleacre and of Lady Ariel Keith, and Miss Jayne Will Teagle, vounger daughter of the late Walter C. Teagle, Jr and of Mrs Page W.

The marriage took place at St

Peter's, Eaton Square, on Saturday, between Major Simon Potter, The

Queen's Own Hussars, son of Major-General Sir John Potter, of

The bride, who was given in

Professor W. Ullmann
A memorial service was held in the Chapel of Trinity College, Cambridge, on Saturday for Professor Walter Ullmann. The Right Rev J. A. T. Robinson officiated, assisted by the Rev R. C. Godsall and the Rev R. Atwell. The lesson was read by the Master of Trinity College, Professor Sir Alan Hodg kin, OM, and an address was given by the Rev Professor H. Chadwick.

by the Rev Professor H. Chadwick. Among those present were:

16th/5th The Queen's Royal

The annual reunion dinner of the Regimental Association of the 16th/5th The Queen's Royal Lancers took place at the Cumber-

land Hotel on Saturday. Colonel H. A. G. Brooke, Colonel of the

Princess Anne was the guest of honour at a dinner held in the

MAJOR-GENERAL: R A PRICOR, HQ UKLF as COS. April 14.

BRIGADIERS: R A Clay, HQ Aldershot Garrison as Comd, May 4; K H Olds, HQ 2 Big Bde as Comd. May 5.

May 6, COLONEL: D L Church (late RAOC), May 2.

WING COAMANDERS: E Wensley, RAF Navion as OC P & SS (NR), May S: J F P Browns, MOD Harrogate SM 16 (RAF), May S: S M Adama, HQ RAFSC MS1, May S: J Hughes, RAF Newton as OC RAF Police School, May 9: D G Bards, RAF West Drayton as OC S of FC, May S C Williams, HQ 18 Cp as Ar 3, May 6, W B Lowdher. Harrar as Def Adv. May 6.

Oueen's Gurkha Signals

Marriages

Birmingham, on May 16.

The Duke of Kent, as president of

Forthcoming marriages

Mr R H G Bourns Miss F M Spencer The engagement is announced between Robert, youngest son of Mr and Mrs H K Bourns, of 5 Downfield Road, Clifton, Bristol. and Fiona, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs K C Spencer, of St Martins Farm, Zeals, Wiltshire.

Mr S H Hayter and Mrs D G Gowing The engagement is announced between Simon Haig, son of Lieutenant Commander Peter Hayter, (retd) and Mrs Hayter, of Marsh House, Kingston St Mary, Somerset, and Emma Heather, only daughter of Squadron Leader and

Mrs Roy Reeve, of Oak Hall Park, Burgess Hill, Sussex. Mr B R Spaven and Miss G D Hollier

The engagement is announced between Bruce, son of Mr and Mrs lan Spaven. of York, and Greta, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs Peter Hollier, of Penwood, Hampshire. Major C E T A Weston-Baker and Dr E J Dalgleish

The engagement is announced etween Charles Weston-Baker, The Queen's Royal Irish Hussars, son of Mr and Mrs Thomas Weston-Baker, of The Beacon, Benenden, Kent, and Elisabeth Jane, daughter of Dr and Mrs Peter Dalgleish, of the Old Rectory, Kislingbury, Northamp-

Memorial services

Professor M. Fortes
A memorial service for Professor
Meyer Fortes was held in King's
College Chapel, Cambridge, on
Saturday. The Rev J. H. Drury
officiated, assisted by the ViceProvost of King's College, Dr
H. B. F. Dixon, Dr S. P. Hugh-Jones read the lesson and Mr Christopher

Reception

Mayor of Croydon The Mayor of Croydon gave a reception at the Town Hall on Saturday to mark the combined celebration of the borough's centen-ary and the seventy-fifth anniver-sary of the Territorial Army. At the parade held earlier the Mayor took the salute accompanied by Major-General J. A. C. G. Eyre, GOC London District.

Service dinners

HMS St Vincent, 1939-45 The annual remion dinner of HMS St Vincent, 1939-45, was held at the Eccleston Hotel on Saturday. Captain V. Lamb, RN, presided.

Appointments in the Forces

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CAMP TO THE CUEEN: O H Bowen is applonted Aide de Ne Queen, March 29.

Latest wills

Baron Citrine, of Brixham, Devon, general secretary of the TUC 1926-46, left estate valued at £47,127 net. Lieutenant-Colonel James Ernest Myatt, of Shepton Mallet, Somerset, former chief executive of the Royal Bath and West Show, and a leading yachtsman, left estate valued at £29,752 net.

Miss Muriel Mary Baines, of Sheffield, South Yorkshire, left

The real and the ideal

By Clifford Longley, Religious Affairs Correspondent

the subjective motivation of the

sinner provided grounds for

psychiatrist, was influential

enough to damage the church's confidence that it knew what it

was dealing with in trying to put

It is commonly said that "there are no mortal sins any

more", But the most recent shift

is more basic than that, and

applies not merely to issues of

personal morality, nor necess-arily to issues where morality is

at stake at all. It is a shift

towards the idea that the best should not be made the enemy

It leads to the conclusion,

ideal, is in fact left alone, as the

It does not, for instance, tell a

homosexual Roman Catholic

resposibility.

Freud although not the

church's favourite

has been making a distinction for some years between the actual and the ideal, between the real and the abstract theory. It has heard the joke about the Irishman, who was asked how to get to somewhere over the hills, and who replies: "In the first place. I would not start from here.

will open the British Robot
Association Automan 83 exhibition
at the National Exhibition Centre. Thus if Cardinal Basil Hume reduce sins from the category of were to be asked today by a parish priest in Euston whether he could have permission to become general secretary of the doing so. Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament for the period of the Roman coming general election campaign, he would certainly say

o.

If nuclear weapons were about to be invented, and the Pope was asked whether world peace should in future be preserved by a balance of terror, he too would say no. If any Roman Catholic bishop was asked by a layman for his approval for a proposed mar-riage in a register office to a divorced woman, he would also say no.

Yet Monsignor Bruce Kent is informed that he may go on doing what he is already doing the Pope tells the United Nations that "deterrence is ment and how do we get there morally acceptable"; and a immediately?" layman already married to a divorcee would certainly not be occasionally, that a situation instructed to walk out on her. which is in theory wrong In each case the status quo is because it falls far short of the judged to be less than ideal, but

it is not the current way of best that can be done.

Freshford, Bath, and of the late Lady Potter, and stepson of Lady Potter, and Miss Joanna Adair, handling such issues to insist that they must be made ideal daughter of Mr and Mrs Robin Adair, of Ynys Gifftan, Talsarnau, Gwynedd. The Rev D. Tillyer immediately, and anything else that his only hope of salvation This is an important exten- celibacy. And Roman Catholics sion of the theory and practice who have gained a kind of of moral philosophy in the perverse enjoyment at their marriage by her father, was attended by Charles Haines, Miss Vanessa Adair, and Miss Louise Huntington-Roman Catholic Church, a dose church's intransigent defiance of realism in a system which has of common sense, have recently sometimes been extremely been unsettled to find common rigid. It is not yet quite official, sense Catholicized, with but it can be observed working bishops supporting a 20-week

Whitely. A guard of honour was found from The Queen's Own Hussars and Captain Michael in practice, from the Pope cut-off for legal abortion rather Bampfylde was best man. downwards. A reception was held at 30 Pavilion Road and the honeymoon will be spent in Greece. Sometimes it is expressed as

The Roman Catholic Church the difference between "moral" realistic; or homosexual fidelity and "pastoral" theology, which has taken over from the older preferred to homosexual promiscuity. distinction between the

The pendulum has swung "public" and the - "private" over to the point where "moral" forum, as it was called. In that theology, defined as concerned more traditional way of with ideals, is out of fashion, analysing moral problems, a and pastoral theology, the art of way more closely geared to the the possible, dominates the needs of the confession box, it field. was deemed permissible to Non-Roman Catholic the-"mortal" to a lesser category if

ology, which was never really convinced of the existence of abstract moral absolutes, has therefore never felt the force of that dichotomy. But absolutes do seem to play a role, even in the most pragmatic and pseudomilitarian Roman Chatholic schools, suggesting that they provide a sense of moral bearings, rescuing the system from complete relativism and situation ethics.

Anglican moral theology, on the other hand, has been able to offer little beyond marginal notes on contemporary secular

In practice, the "moral theology" approach, preaching the ideal, is still encountered in pastoral guidance prior to a decision or action. But the more widely spread becomes the knowledge that a more tolerant "pastoral" theology is waiting to take over after the decision or influence of the ideal.

That has a parallel in problems which are not ethical at all, but where a similar thought process seems to be at work. The notion of an "ideal" relationship between church and state, for instance, or between the church and politics, is gradually giving way to a less systematic and more pragmatic method.

way to the image of the people of God as a pilgrimage: and while fortresses can be run with cut-off for legal abortion rather military tidiness, pilgrimages than 24 as the only step in the are notoriously all over the right direction that is politically place at once.

Note of discord: Mr John Sussman, in sixteenth century costume, with Miss Miriam Gitlin protesting near the Soviet Embassy in London yesterday about the plight of Russian Jews. Mr Sussman is attempting to set a record by playing the lute non -stop for more than 24 hours. (Photograph: John Voos).

Thursday (3): Agricultural Holdings (Amendment) (Scotland) Rill, second reading, Telecommunications, Bill, committee, dirst day.
Friday (11): Licensime (Occasional)

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Birthdays today

Air Chief Marshal Sir John Barraclough, 65; Sir Hugh Cortazzi, 59; Brigadier F. C. Curtis, 85; Instructor Rear-Admiral Sir John Fleming, 79; Mr Alastair Forbes, 65, Mr Brigadier 64; Sir Company Fleming, 79; Mr Alastair Forbes, 65, Mr Peter Foster, 64; Sir Campbell Fraser, 60; Mr Henry Hall, 85; Sir James Hamilton. 60; Colonel Sir James Hamilton. 60; Mr Michael Sir Geoffrey Miles, 93; the Duke of Montrose, 76; Mr John Neville, 58; Air Marshal Sir James Hamilton. 60; Colonel Sir James Hamilton. 60; Mr James Ham

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Latest appointments Latest appointments include: ess Platt of Writtle, Mr J. H

Radbourne, and Colonel T. C. B. Swayne to be deputy lieutenants of Essex. Professor D. C. Smith, FRS, Sibthorpian professor of rural economy, Oxford University, to be biological secretary of the Royal Society in succession to Sir David Phillips, FRS, who has resigned.

Brigadier D. D. O'Brien to be medical adviser and chief medical officer of the British Red Cross Society. He succeeds Major-General

Cash boost for **Brighton pier**

Restoration of the Victorian West Pier at Brighton may start as early as rier at Brighton may start as early as:
next year (Our Environment
Correspondent writes). Brighton
Borough Council has agreed to pay
half of the £25,000 needed to finance a study of the project.

The Brighton West Pier Trust gave a warning early this month that refusal of support from the council could end hope of restoring the crumbling and evocative monu-

ment to generations of Victorian seaside holidays.

Mr John Lloyd, secretary of the trust, said yesterday: "We are much more confident now. I hope that we can start actual work next year, but completion may take many years." The pier has separate official listings as a dangerous structure and a historic building of the highest importance.

Cystic Fibrosis Research Trust

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St Ronan's School, Hawkhurst, Kent, founded at Worthing, cele-brates its centenary on July 16 and looks forward to seeing old boys and friends from 11 o'clock.

University news Oxford Election
TRENTY COLLEGE: exhibition and Lady
Asthury memorial prize: O H Williams,
commoner of the college (furtherly of St
Paul's School.

OBITUARY

GEORGE BALANCHINE

Major force in 20th century ballet

George Balanchine, one of the greatest of choreographers and the founder of the New York City Ballet, died in New York on April 30 at the age of 79.

The supreme survivor of the Imperial Russian ballet's traditions, he nevertheless called himself a Yankee and spent most of his career in Manhartan. Aristocratic in manner he was also classical ballet's greatest popularizer, and more of his ballets are regularly danced throughout the world than those of any other choreographer in ballet's history. One factor common to all his work was his extraordinary respect for music and his understanding of it coupled with a catholic enjoyment of many different musical

styles. Balanchine's contribution to ballet in the twentieth century can be likened only to that of Marius Petipa in the nineteenth. Both men carried the pure classical tradition from the land of their birth to a new home where it took new root. Each of them polished his own interpretation of the classical style to the point where it became

erotic.

concentrate on that art.

Muddy Waters, who died of a

heart attack in Chicago on April

30 at the age of 68 was the most

notable of postwar blues sin

From "purist" beginnings in handful of recordings for the

Library of Congress after his

discovery by the folklorist, Alan Lomax, he moved in what appeared to be the dubiously

commercial direction of electric

guitars, greater raucousness,

more insistent syncopation and

frank vocal menace. But though

there was of course immense

commercial appeal in these developments they were achieved not merely without sacrifice of authenticity but in a

manner which gave a new

impetus to postwar blues. The

passage of time saw Muddy Waters develop into an import-

ant inspiration for white rhythm and blues in America while in Britain where he toured

with immense acclaim, his most

famous disciples, the Rolling

Stones, took their very name

Muddy Waters was born McKinley Morganfield in Rol-ling Fork, Mississippi, on April 4, 1915. He had learned the

harmonica as a child and was singing from the age of 10. At 17 he changed to the guitar and in 1941-2 was recorded in Mississippi for the Library of Con-gress. From this period, num-bers like "I be's Troubled" and

"Country Blues" are central to

the share cropping tradition in

which he grew up.

from one of his hit recordings.

accepted as a standard against action, the weaker is the than Petipa's, however, in spite of the challenge of younger death.

The image of the church militant as a fortress is giving



as dancers, but Balanchine was soon put to the test of making opera-ballets. When Bronislava Nijinska left in 1925, Balanchine at 21 became Diaghilev's ballet-master and choreogra-

During the four years remain-ing before Diaghilev's death and the company's dissolution, Balanchine staged 10 ballets, two of them still performed today, Apollo (1928) and The Prodigal Son (1929).

Balanchine, Lydia Lopokova and Anton Dolin were filming a ballet segments by Relapshine.

which others were judged. Balanchine's fate was happier ballet sequence by Balanchine for the first English talking film, Dark Red Roses, when they heard of Diaghilev's death. Balanchine was offered a rivals, he remained the ac-knowledged master until his contract at the Paris Opra but Georgi Melitonovich Balanfell seriously ill with pneumonia chivadeze was born in St Petersburg on January 22, 1904, the son of a Georgian folk musician. His family wanted a and pleurisy soon after begin-ning rehearsals. When re-covered, he staged dances for the Cochran Revue of 1930 at military or naval career for him, the London Pavilion, then spent some months in Copenbut he auditioned for the ballet hagen staging six works for the Royal Danish Ballet before school of the Imperial Theatres. and was accepted.
While still at the school, aged returning to London to mount about 16, he made his first dances at the Coliseum for Sir Oswald Stoll.

choreography, a love duet to Anton Rubinstein's La Nuit Work called him away with which was thought daringly the founding in 1932 of Les Ballets Russes de Monte-Carlo. Even after graduating in 1921, young Balanchivadze's He made three works for their opening season, including the successful comedy La Concurambition was actually to become a composer, and he enrolled at the Petrograd Con-servatory of Music. However, rence and the mysteriously poetic Cotilion. Next, with financial backing from Edward James, Balanchine founded Les he eventually decided that he had not the talent for composition and chose, luckily for the Ballets 1933. The company whole future of ballet to endured only one season in Paris and one in London, yet it

Balanchivadze got together gave the premiere of the Brecht-Weill Seven Deadly Sins and several friends to present some Evenings of the Young Ballet in 1922-3, featuring largely his own choreography to music by Chopin, Ravel, Scriabin and himself among others. He Tchelichev among its designers. It also confirmed the young American writer Lincoln Kirstaged Cocteau's and Milhaud's Le Boeuf sur le Toit and a mime invite the choreographer to others. found a classical ballet company A & to Blok's poem The Twelve. But soon the theatre authorities

forbade the dancers to take part in such unauthorized activities. That perhaps encouraged Balanchivadze to accept an invitation in sommer 1924. from the baritone Vladimir Dimitriev, who had obtained and in 1935 the American Ballet permission to arrange a foreign tour for a group of singers and Theatre with a repertory of six giarmour of Who cares? to the Balanchine Ballets. dancers. On arriving in Berlin, orders followed them to return Balanchine Ballets. A subsequent tour collapsed home. The conductor and other

singers obeyed, Dimitriev and company accepted an invitation the dancers remained. Under the title of the Soviet to become the resident ballet of State Dancers, the group danced in the Rhineland resorts, then at the Empire, London, on a variety bill. During that engagement, Diaghilev invited them to present two memorable productions: a staging of Gluck's Orpheus, with the singers off-Paris to audition for his Russian Ballet and engaged them. Diaghilev simplified his new recruit's name for western audiences, to Balanchine. He and his colleagues were engaged

including the premiere of Card In 1938 the contract with the Met ended, and so did the American Ballet. But the School continued. A teacher of market

individual views, Balanchine selected teachers with care, and repeatedly chose its best graduares to become his dancers. For a time, Balanchine busied himself with Broadway shows and Hollywood musicals and during 1941 the American Ballet was temporarily revived for a goodwill tour of Latin

America: Balanchine creating two enduring classic ballets for the occassion, Concerto barocco and Ballet Imperial. Again he found himself

without a company of his own but made works for several other troupes, notably Danses concertantes (1944) and Night Shadow (1946) for Ballet Russe de Monte-Carlo, Waltz Academy (1944) and Theme and Variations (1947) for Ballet Theatre, and Palais de Cristal (better known now as Symphony in C) for the Paris Opera.

Meanwhile Kirstein, back from war service, had conceived the idea of presenting perform-ances of new ballets to an audience exclusively of subscribers. Ballet Society, as it was called, gave its first programme in November 1946 in the unpropitious surroundings of the Central High School of Needle Trades, but the two works given aroused enthusiasm. One was a danced version of Ravel's The Spellbound Child, the other was the first distinct manifestation of the distorted, inverted but still lucid classical style that Balanchine evolved for the choreographic treatment of modern music, in this instance The Four Temperaments, a score which Balanchine had commissioned from Hinde-

After two years of precarious existence. Ballet Society had mounted many more works by Balanchine and others, including another notable treatment of the Orpheus legend, with music by Stravinsky. premiere was given at New York City Centre and after-wards the chairman of in finance committee. Morton Baum, invited Balanchine and Kirstein to bring their company Weill Seven Deadly Sins and under City Centre auspices to numbered Bérard, Derain and become New York City Ballet.

From that time, Balanchine devoted his efforts to creating a hundred ballets for the stein in his determination to company and reviving many

in America. Seeing no prospects in Europe Balanchine accepted.

In 1924 Released in the diversity of Balanchine's productions. In 1934, Balanchine opened pure classic display of the the School of American Ballet Mozart Divertimento No 15 to on Madison Avenue, New the sinewy toughness of York In the summer of that Stravinsky's Agon or Symphony year his students danced Seren- in Three Movements, the ade, his first creation for them, romanticism of La Valse to the gave its first New York season: mystery of Ivesiana to the fun two weeks at the Adelphi of Square Dance, the showbiz

There was never a time when in financial chaos, but the Balanchine lacked at least a few dancers of outstanding quality. However, it was the care be the Metropolitan Opera. The devoted to raising levels of relationship was not a happy dance education all over one, but it lasted three seasons America, that eventually gave and enabled Balanchine to New York City Ballet an

unsurpassed strength.

After the dissolution of his stage and action presented entirely by dancers in Tchelichev's much presented sively three married successively three married suc chev's much-praised designs, dancers, Vera Zorina, Maria and a Stravinsky evening Tallchief and Tanaquil LeClerq.

MUDDY WATERS



He went to Chicago in 1943 and played nightspots with planists such as Memphis Slim and Otis Spann, and guitarists 1958 was a great success as well like Jimmy Rogers and Buddy as being a highly influential Guy. From 1947 he recorded event. While diverging from and other than 1947 he recorded event. under the name of Muddy rhythm and blues whenever it Waters and though the earlier suited their whims or purposes manner persisted at first, his the best of the Rolling Stones switch from accoustic to electric cwns much to Muddy guitar played at merciless and in later years he did not volume with a vibrant slide hesitate to acknowledge then technique, was soon to produce baving given his brand of R&B a music which was in character, wider corrency.

forces by the addition of his half Jazz Festival two years ago.

brother, Otis Spann, and Jimmy Rogers to produce a blues band which swiftly made a reputation first in Chicago and then
outside. Recordings such as
"I'm your Hoochie Coochie
Man" and "Manish Boy" with their innate sense of drama, put Muddy Waters at the front of postwar blues singers.

Later numbers like "Got my Mojo Working and "Tiger in Your Tank" were, in the massively amplified, charged sound with which they were projected to the listener, appropriate precursors of the generally militant, aggressive scepticism of the Sixties, which were now impending. Muddy Waters toured exten

sively in the United States and Europe. A concert in Britain in

a music which was in character, a scream of anger from the ghetto, in marked contrast to the previous, gentler accents from the cotton fields.

From 1950 he recorded with the harmonica player Little Walter, their "Louisiana Blues" was somewhat impaired, he day of this data is reportable for the part retire. His last performance of this date is remarkable. But not retire. His last performance he was soon to increase his in Britain was at the Knebworth

Section .

MR TURNER CATLEDGE

York Times from 1964 to 1968 went into local journals. He and had previously been manipoined the New York Times in Defence, Northern Region died at his home in New President Hoover and made his Brigadier John Casel. died at his home in New President Hoover and made his Orleans on April 27 at the age of career there.

Always very much the York Times Company from Southerner, Calledge was born 1968 to 1973, and a vice-presion a farm in central Mississippi dent from 1968 until his
and, after helping to make his retirement in 1970.

Area 1968-70.

Major-General Lampingh, CB, CBE, who died on April 26 at the age of \$7, was Mr Turner Catledge, who was way through Mississippi State Commander of Rhine District executive editor of the New College by working as a watter, BAOR, 1952-55, and after his resident Hoover and made his areer there.

He was a director of the New on April 21 at the age of 67, was on April 21 at the age of 67, was appointed JP for Perthaline in April 21 at the age of 67, was appointed at the April 21 at the age of 67, was appointed at the April 21 at the age of 68 at the April 21 at the age of 67, was appointed at the April 21 at the age of 67, was appointed at the April 21 at the age of 67, was appointed at the April 21 at the age of 67, was appointed at the April 21 at the April 21 at the April 22 at the April 22

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THE TIMES MONDAY MAY 2 1983

An off-colour Liverpool rattle a few skeletons at White Hart Lane

Ghostly echoes of the past haunted four London buildings last week. The apparition of the Or eport returned at the Cafe Royal Hungary's insubstantial spirit re-appeared at Wembley, the television

company's case was reviewed at the Great Western Hotel and Liverpool, disguised as pale shadows, re-claimed the title at White Hart Glimpses of all of them, visions of the future as well, were evident at Tottenham Hotspur's ground on Saturday, in numerical order Bob Liverpool's manager, sted on the first, Hoddle had something to say about the second.
ITV's presented one side of the third and Keith Burkinshaw spoke on behalf of many about the fourth. The main recommendation of Sir Norman Chester's committee was hat the first division should be

that the first division should be reduced. The club chairmen rejected it, Paisley supports it. "We should cut out the Mickey Mouse games," he said. Since Liverpool beat Tottenham in the Charity Shield in August to win the first of three trophies, the two sides have competed in a total of 107 matches. Last season Tottenham's ambitions were damaged by fixture. were damaged by fixture tion and were realised only in their sisty-sixth and last outing. This season Liverpool opened up such a large gap at the top that they were never in danger of losing their hold on the championship but does seem ignificant that near the end of the lengthy campaign, they have not won any of their last four games.

Mental and physical fatigue rather than relaxation might explain such a relapse, almost unpre-cedented in Liverpool's recent history. On Saturday they started unusually defensively often seeking comfort in the arms of their comfort in the arms of their goalkeeper ("are you Arsenal in disguise?" the crowd asked) and looked even more unusually ragged by the end. After a display so devoid

ampagne. Their party was spoilt by ottenham in general and by Tottenham in general and by Hoddle in particular, It was his first

Sanity plea from centre smile from of arena

Perhaps it was not an ideal time er George Kerr, the Rotherham inited manager, to speak against clah firmly anchored in twenty-first place, one point more or one point less for a win would have made no

difference to their plight. When the waves are kepping over your head there is little point as complision? It was still more nonsensical that kerr's thoughts opposed one of the law areas of interest left to us this season. The sight of 11 clubs sighting to the death at the bottom of the second division is providing

of the second division is providing us with good entertainment, Roman sive. But despite all this, you could not ignore Kerr's touching plea for sanny from the centre of the He reminded us of the emotional strain caused by those desperately exciting matches, the unhappiness and damage it was causing managers, players, their wives and families. Too many, he thought, were affected by the long tentaces of

Arnott hit the target Kerr's hopes of a rare kill, were ruined by Walker's outstretched toe to a Chivers free

CHELSEA: S Francis; J Jones (sub P Canoville), C Hutchings, G Chivers, M Droy, C Pstes, M Fellery, O Speedis, G Lee, J Juristend, C Walker Hottlesham (BRITED: S Corney: G Fortest, P Fiter, G Gove, P Standalfie, K Johnson, K Amout, J Seemen, R Moore, R Mocres, J McSride. Referee: M J D Soderham (Brighton)



Liverpool.....

he liad never been away. With a second a few minutes later. He majesty that is unrivalled in Britain, resisted Lawrenson's impending blassward classifiers, who

Bobby Robson's present midfield preference favours industrious representatives such as Lee and Matter. Against the likes of Greece Mattern. Against the likes of Greece and. Hungary, who are easily unsatiled, such work as rewarded. But against tach as the soperior Danes (and) especially, if England reach next summer's European Championship finals) he will need a player with the vision, skill and accuracy to inhinge doors that are uping closed.

Hoddle has those requirements in abundance but, as he admits, only with the benefit of an uninterrupted

run in the national side, like those enjoyed by both Lee and Mabbutt, will he prove his undernable ability. He should be given that opportunity in the forthcoming fixames against in the forthcoming fixaries against Northern Ireland, Scotland and, Tottenham's close-season plans Tottenham's close-season plans permitting in Australia.

Those who watched ITV's coverage of the game on Saturday night would not have seen all of his contribution. The only notable events during a drab first half were the bookings of Roberts and Johnston for here challenges and of Lawrenson for a trip on Brazil.

rivals, Southampton, tomorrow is important but some issues may be important but some issues may be decided today. Wolverhampton Wanderers, for instance, will be certain of going up to the first division if they win at Charlton Athletic. They will clinch promotion anyway if Fulham lose at Queen's Park Rangers and Leicester City at Elland Road. Viewers were given a distorted picture. The tactical sparring may not be "good television" but, without it, Tottenham could not have delivered their two glorious. knockout blows. Live coverage, a likely possibility next season, would have illustrated how they had probed Liverpool's three centre halves without success until a fortunate rebound in the fiftheth minute put Hoddle away where the danger lay, on the finite.

If Hoddle had sat down for a few

Tension mounts for City

Manchester City ..

Nottingham Forest

Like spring Manchester City blossomed a little late. By the time they did, Nottingham Forest were two goals up and City felt the

two goals up and City felt the autumn of 17 years in the first

promisingly and which now hangs pricestricity on the outcome of matches against two fellow strug-

not the best stimulant to confiden

to take on a competent side such as Nottingham Forest.

Paradoxically, it was in the last half-liour or so, when prospects were gloomiest, that Manchester City showed most spirit, won a string of corner kicks and rekindled their hopes with a well-worked goal.

However, Forcet were fire too well.

found Davenport, who advoitly made room to curl a low shot across and beyond Williams. City's response was to push Bond forward. He, more than most, had

division creeping up on them.
The disappointments and

"You dream about beating them. 5-0 or 5-0." Burkinshaw said. "but it never happens. I said in October that they would win the League because over 42 matches they are so

"It is Liverpool's attitude that is so good," he added, "and that is what matters for the rest of us now." He had the UEFA Cup in mind. If Manchester United win the FA Cup, Tottenham need seven points from their remaining four games to be sue of a place with Waiford, Aston Villa and Nottingham Forest, the three sides left on Liverpool's

three sides left on Liverpool's fixture list curiously enough.

·Tottenham's visit to one of their

Although arguments raged long after this match about the two mer tas match about the two refereing decisions which led to Birmingham. City's goals in the eighty-hard and eighty-sixth minutes, only the most partism could deny that City were much the better side and richly deserved the three points which could yet keep them in the first division that we want to the could be could be the could be could be could be the could be could

A rare

Saunders

Whatever the hind outcome of this season, it is dear that Birmingham have belatedly got their and together, white Sunderland's is falling apart. The late goals City scored imough Bake, from a penalty, and Harford, with a superb header from Denait's free kick, were just reward for their method and persistence.

from West after some notable work by James, Sanderland's Welsh international winger. But the setback seemed only to strengthen their resolve. The tail, brave Harford led their line intelligently and Sunderland were never able to subdue him.

were affected by the long tentacles of the three-point system. As a man who had just experienced 15 months on the dole, his feelings were more acute than most.

He resisted the temperation to answer questions like "What went wrong", probably because it would have taken until kick-off today to reply. "We'll talk about that later," he said. "Right now Pre got to get the players to work, prepared to bloody die."

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Early in the second haif West and Rowell missed reasonable chances to put the issue beyond doubt before City reinforced their game. They were awarded a penalty which they pursued their opportunities. Forest certainly did provide Williams, in the City goal, Mrith an excessive workload, but when they sported their chance they struck swifty. Both Forest's goals were splendidly conceived and taken with struck swifty. Robertson, in midfield for much of struck three point system.

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The only goal they scored, by Arnott in the fourteenth infinite was not particularly well worked and owed a lot to the timidity of the Chelsea defenders; who all played as though they were on 29 penalty points. Francis, the Chelsea goal keeper, and a defender blocked shots by Arnott and McBride before Arnott hit the target. Kerr's hopes of a rare kill, were ruined by Walker's in ruining expenses and we're now





Foster falls into

a Wembley trap

door to the second division opened wider as a result of their defeat against Notts County and a first-half against rous county and a distribution booking for Steve Foster means that they will probably be without their captain and perhaps their most influential player for the FA Cup

mlated by Foster normally inevitable, and Brighton's appeal to the FA for leniency seems crtain to fail. What happened to Foster on Saturday was an example of what Sir Harold Wilson used to call rough justice. Foster was unlucky to have his name taken in the first place but in the end could not have complained if he had been sent off.

Another Wilson, Norman, the match referee, booked Foster for the collections have been sent off. speaking out of turn, but in the second half failed to send him offfor the most blatant handling offence. Foster's foul prevented a clear goalscoring opportunity, yet Mr Wilson's only response was to

award County a free kick:
One suspected that Mr Wilson regretted his decision to book Foster restoring the balance. However, two wrongs do not make a right. As it happened Mr Wilson did Foster no favours by allowing him to stay on

Beginning of a boom By Paul Newman

their hopes with a well-worked goal.

However, Forest were fir too well organized for them, which is not to say that City did not out manoeuver them occasionally. Headers by Hartford and McDonald were not too far away in the first half and the best chance of all in that period fell to Kinsey. But Kinsey's balance was wrong as he abot and the ball flew high over the bat.

A striking difference between the two sides was the incisiveness with which they pursued their opportunities. Forest certainly did provide Williams in the first own with the first half and the ball flew high over the bat.

Name of the manager of VS Rugby in the manager of VS Rugby, lit a cigar of which Malcom and becoming firmer favourities to win the Scottish League championship for the first time. United have an easier run-in than their premier division rivals, Celtic and Aberdera, for their last two games are winting the Vase 12 months ago, VS Rugby hope to make their Wembley success a platform from which to continue their remarkable progress.

Flawesowen also for them, which successing for the first time. United have an easier run-in than their premier division rivals, Celtic and Aberdera, for their last two games are wintually at home — against Motherwell's at Tannadice, and Dundee at Dens Park, which is only 100 yards away

It was on the ground of their city rivals, incidentally, that United won their remarkable progress.

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searching passes to the wings and it supporters to Cappielow to create seemed that it would be only a the right atmosphere, United are in matter of time before the speed of the mood to take the title.

The deadlock, however, was broken by Rugby two minutes into the second half After Owen's mishit shot, the ball spun into the path of Crawley, who to the delight of his personal coachload of family and friends in the crowd prodded the friends in the crowd prodded the ball past Coldicott from 10 yards.

For the rest of the match Rugby ran, harassed and tackled to such effect that Halesowen appeared increasingly to lose faith in their ability to break down a well oreanized defence HALESOWEN TOWN: P Coldicott M Poon, S Edmonts, M Larny, L Randle, R Stalvock, M Halesowed, G Mone, J Woodhouse, P Johnson, L Johnson (and D Smith).

VS. RUGBY: C Burion; J McGing, S Harrison, J Setchel, D Owen, S Bechan, I Crawley (Sub M Hastlers).

Reieros: B H Daniels (Brentford)

Fourth division

The only thing that Brighton have Melia. But not even Melia can paper over the many cracks in his team

to an automatic one-match ban, thus enabling him to play against Manchester United at Wembley in

Mr Wilson appears to be one of the growing number of referees who see evil where there is none. Some of his decisions were baffling. As well as Foster, he booked Goodwin and McNato for fouls and Christie for fire there was nothing.

over the many cracks in his team. Brighton's troubles started before the kick-off when Case and Robinson were ruled out through injury and during the game they seemed to be thinking more about Wembley than first division survival County's greater determination gave them the three points which virtually ensured their own first division future.

Kilcine's unstoonable shot brought the winner with seven

minutes remaining but the real thorn in Brighton's flesh was the County despader, Hunt, whose swift interventions denied Smith and Comor certain roals. NOTTS COUNTY: R Ävranovic; T Senjami Hunt, M Goodwin (sub D Ciarie), B Kliciin Richards, J Chiedozie, T Christe, I McCuli

title key

ineir remarkable progress.

Hawesowen, also from the West Midlands League have bearen Rugby three times this season and at Wembley they looked clearly the more skilful side. In the first half Hazlewood and Woodhouse stretched the Rugby deference of the stretched the

Confident and professional, they sweeping victory over Morton, with well-engineered goals from Dodds (2), Narey and Milne, However, as the other two contenders also won easily and without revealing any more concern about pressure than United, it is reasonable to assume Aberdeen and Celtic will also take full points from their remaining games. It becomes more likely that goal difference will settle this

goal difference will settle this exciting race.

Celtic regained lost form by beating Kilmarnock 5-0 at Rughy Park: Aberdeen were never threatened as they defeated Dundee 2-0

John Grieg, the Rangers manager, has made six of his team available for transfer. They include the Scottish internationals Derek Johnstone and Jim Stewart.

Caution the keyword as Davis and Thorburn head for a marathon session

frame World professional sococker, sheffield, is any guide, the tournament, sponsored by Embassy, could well overrun itself into the

early hours of tomorrow morning. Neither Steve Davis nor Chif Thorburn, however, were doing much overunning yesterday, the first four frames having taken two hours with the scores standing at 2-

2. Later after much speculation and nanoeuvring Davis led 6-2. The packed house was witnessing yet another act in the drama which began a fortnight ago and many outstanding performances have been given since then, not least by Davis and by Thorburn. By the time the final curtain falls a new dimension to the event will have

dimension to the event win have been acquired: whoever wins will become the first man to take the title twice in the seven years of the tournament at the Crucible, not to mention the £30,000 in prize

for some future presentation. "It would not be too bad", Thorburn

so, the camous approach by com-players was understandable and acceptable. At least the first frame began in lighter vein when Thorburn's cueing was interrupted by a haritone voice from one of the dressing rooms, possibly rehearsing for some future presentation. "It

aid "if only the man could sing." Davis won the first frame with seful breaks, none of which exceeded 30. In the next frame it

was Thorburn's turn to consolidate with breaks of 34 and a 49 clearance.

MOTOR CYCLING

Haslam is

master of

wet track

Vorfolk, yesterday they led the Juited States by 161 points to 133.

The master of the wet condition

Honda and is now lying equal second in the world championship

Haslam took over the lead from Kenny Roberts, of the United

States, on the fourth lap of the first leg, and his only scare in the second leg was when he did a front wheel

yesterday, finishing fourth and sixth. Wes Cooley, of the United

foot after crashing at Oulton.

lide at the hairoin.

two interruptions when the referce photographers were hiding behind the curtains. The occasional click of

the hidden camera has been a source In the third frame Thorburn led 27-0 but his march was repelled by Davis who made a break of 54 and drew so far ahead that Thorburn was forced to concede. Thorburn started his attempt to win the fourth frame with a classic stroke, He disturbed the cluster of reds and in

so doing caused a plant, one red ball knocking another into a pocket. So it was two frames all and Davis, clearing the table with a break of 48 went 3-2 ahead. He also won the next two frames, his scores

in the sixth having been helped by Thorburn who lost the cue ball while attempting to pot the green. Thorburn was left needing a couple of snookers which he failed to acquire and Davis mopped up the

acquire and Davis mopped up the remaining colours to put himself into a position of advantage.

Thornburn's remarkable powers of endurance finally carried him to victory over Tony Knowles by 16-15 in the semi-final round. For the third time in a row a match involving the Canadian ran its full course, ending yesterday morning at about 10 minutes past one. Knowles emerged sad and disappointed after putting up a gallant fight. At one stage he was 15-13 ahead and needed the pink and black for the



Davis: leading by a neck natch, but he missed the pink and

Thornburn had escape when knowles allowed the last red to slip from his grasp. It was 4 near a corner pocket at the bottom of the table and although he aimed at it carefully enough, his stroke was

lightly askew and the ball refused It took a fluke shot by Thorburn
to send this last red to its destiny;
himself for the yellow and slotted in

FINAL: S Devis (Eng.) leads C Thorburn (Cs 6-2. Frame accres (Devis Srat: 82-20, 11-1 83-39, 36-80, 80-34, 65-34, 81-44, 75-28.

GOLF

Langer emerges from the cloud

Bernard Langer, of West Germany, won the £60,000 Italian Open championship after an exhilirating final round on the Ugolino course here yesterday. Langer and Ken Brown, of Britain, both returned progress ahead of them and he birdied the eleventh and twelfth to forced into a three-way playable. forced into a three-way play-off when the Masters champion,

Randy Mamola, of the United States, who won both legs at Oulton Park on Saturday, lost his chance of taking the £20,000 grand slam prize when visor misting slowed him one of the finest stroke-makers among British golfers and he emphasized his ability by making scarcely an error on the roller-coast-

when visor misting slowed him down in the first race. He finished left leg. In the second race he was fourth.

Britain's captain, Barry Sheene, who was eighth and seventh on Saturday, fared better in the wet States, crashed in practice, damag-ing his machine, but he cruised round to score points. His compatriot, Mike Baldwin, could complete only one lap in each race because of two broken bones in his foot after crashing at Outton.

slipped into contention but they were unable to sustain their challenges.

At the twelfth Langer appeared to have reached his Waterloo. His drive finished in a section of rough which resembled a vegetable patch

Yesterday
TRANSATLANTIC TROPHY: Round three (16
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TRANSATLANTIC TROPHY: Round one (11 laps, 30.37 thiles): 1, R Memols (US, Suzuid, 17 mins 44.5 secs (Av speed 102.65 mph); 2, R Hestem (36, Honds) 17:45.1; 3, Roberts (28, Honds) 18:10.8; 6 K Huseven GB, Suzuid) 18:15.3, Fasteet lap: Hastem, 1mh 15.35.2 sec. Round twic: Mamola, 17:sin. 38.5 sec. (103.5 mph); 2 Heisten 17:39.8; 3, Roberts, 17:39.8; 4, Marsteet, 17:39.8; 5, Roberts, 17:39.8; 6, ELewson, (US, Yernske) 18:0.8; Festeet tellumida and Hastem, 1min 35.3.
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WIRRAL 100 250CC RACE (10 teps 27.51 miles): 1. T Rutter, (Breatley Hill), Yamaha, 17mins 14.63ecs. SEECAR RACE (10 laps 27.61 miles):1. K Coustins/P Hooken (Northempton), Yamsha, 18mins 55 2aaa

Britain seem to be heading for victory in the annual Mariboro Fransatlantic Trophy series. After the second round at Snetterton, was Ron Haslam, from Langley Mill, who won both races comfortably. Haslam also had his first victory on his Grand Prix NS 500 cagle three at the last for a 66.

The rama was heightened when a cloudburst left the last green with a line-inch covering ofwater and Brown was forced to mark his ball on this machine.

"It was unite an easy ride in both races once I got out at the front," he said. "I decided to play it steady at the start and let my tyres warm up." return and he confidently holed out to confirm his place in the play-off.

Ballesteros went out at the first extra hole. At the second Brown missed the green and Langer made no doubt about winning when he holed from four yards. Even so, Brown can regarded this performance as confirmation that he has regained the confident approach he brought with him into the pro-fessional game. He is recognised as

The final round burst into bloom after nine holes, at which point Brown and Langer, both out in 35, led Ballesteros by two strokes. Brian Waites, with three birdies in four holes from the seventh, and Famon Darry with three success. Eamonn Darcy, with three successive birdies from the minth, quietly

heroics.

McAllister won by two strokes from the old warhorse, Charlie Green (77 and 75 yesterday), and by three strokes from Alan Squires (79 and 76), Craig Laurence (78 and 73) and the best-placed member of the British Isles Walker Cup team, Lindsay Mann (73 and 74). It would be hard to imgine a greater contrast in the conditions of

greater contrast in the conditions of a two-day tournament, since Saturday's midsummer sunshine was followed yesterday by the midwinter misery of rain, bitter cold and fierce wind. Nothing therefore could be taken for granted. The third-round lead of four strokes gained by Jonathan Plaxton had dissolved before he had had time to

two at the thirteenth but Brown, playing with increasing confidence. fourteeth. frustrated on the greens by a succession of putts which refused to disappear into the hole. Langer, however, was determined not to allow Brown and Ballesteros to have 5 it all their own way. He reduced the fifteeth (519 yds) to a driver and a five-iron and from 35 feet he holed for an eagle three. He managed another eagle at the next when he ripped a thundering drive at the 308-yard hole to within five feet and

In an amazing turnaround, Langer had moved to the front at 17, under par. The West German. however, missed from less than two feet to take four at the par three seventeenth. Then Ballesteros gave Augusta by chipping in from the back of the eighteenth green for an. eagle three.

eagle three.

LEADING SCORIES (GB unless stated): 271: 5
Langer (wat, 67, 69, 57, 68; 5 Baflesteros (Sp), 64, 74, 57, 68; K Brown, 69, 67, 57, 58; (Langer won play-off at the second extra bole), 276: B Waltes, 72, 57, 68, 67, 277: M Pithero (Sp), 69, 57, 71, 70; E Derry (ru), 73, 67, 67, 70, 278; S Tornanos, 89, 71, 69, 69; W Humphreys, 69, 65; 71, 72, 279; J Anderson (Carl, 70, 72, 69, 67; 65, 71, 72, 279; J Anderson (Carl, 70, 72, 69, 67; 63, 69, 71, 73, 69; M James, 68, 72, 71, 68; W Longmar, 71, 70, 68, 70; O Selberg (Swe), 72, 70, 71; F Terravalnen (US), 72, 73; 69, 62, 70; A Sacbba, 70, 68, 69, 74, 282; M King, 69, 72, 70, A Sacbba, 70, 68, 69, 74, 282; M King, 69, 72, 69, 72, 67, 72, 69; 73, 73

Scot's girl survives wind

By John Hennessy, Golf Correspondent Stephen McAllister, a 21-year-old get to grips with the course after in McAllister now looked in danger as he surrendered strokes at four splue to win the Lytham Trophy

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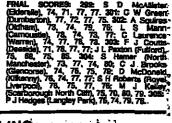
blue to win the Lytham Trophy successive holes from the 14th. Even so, he could reasonably expect to win with a five at the last. From a final rounds of 77, six over par, for a total of 299, 12 over par (one round is played at Fairhaven, where par is 74) but this was an occasion for gritty survival rather than gaudy heroics.

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**Junt 1999 | Junt 1999 tto win with a five at the last. From a superb tee shot he pulled his second lieft of the green, but showed his depth of character with a chip and a just.

The Walker Cup team, who play the United States at Hoylake later this month, put up an undistinguished performance. Arthur Pierse (155) and George Macgregor (154) failed to qualify, Andrew Oldcornfinished on 306 and Martin Thompson on 308. Only Mann can look back on the event with any.



CYCLING

Triumph for Belgian

stage of the Tour of Spain race yesterday, two seconds ahead of his compatriot, Gaido van Calster, who finished with the pack. Jonekeere covered the 92 miles from Logrono to Burgos in rain and high winds in 4hr 26mins 20secs.

Alberto Fernandwz, of Spain, who moved into the overall lead on Saturday, kept the yellow jersey yesterday. Today's stage is considered one of the most difficult. The 117 mile stretch between Aguilar de Campoo and Lagos de Enol ends with 12½ miles of mountain climbs and descents. Just over the halfway stage a group of 20 cyclists, including Fernandez, Bernard Hinault, of France, Julian Gorospe, of Spain, and Marino Lejarreta and de Jonckheere, moved ahead. This group led by about a minute for the next 10 miles before the pack canght up. The descent into Burgos was

up. The descent into Burgos was very fast, despite the wind and rain.

A mile and a quarter from the finish Salvatore Maccali, of Italy, his comparriot Alberto Saromi, Laurent Fignon, of France, and Fritz van Bindsbergen, of the Netherlands, broke away from the pack

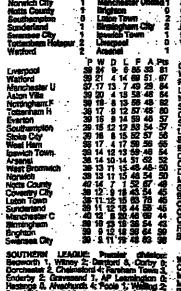
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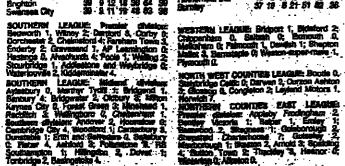
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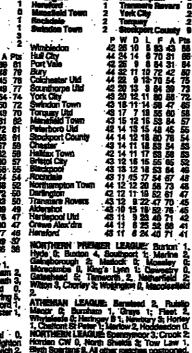






Third division













RACING: ANOTHER CLASSIC TRIUMPH FOR BALLYDOYLE/10 BANK HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES Lomond 'too fast' for Derby

By Michael Phillips, Racing Correspondent

confidants shared the joke. In companion, Caerleon, at 10-1. the wake of the Danzatore affair Lomond and Pat Eddery rewould be stretching things to Derby is concerned. Saturday's
turned to a lukewarm reception.
That was sad for them because could be faulted.

is accompanied by a deafening enced jockey in Ireland. And roar from the crowd. This time what 'TP', as Tommy is an eerie silence greeted Danza- affectionately known in racing. tore's deputy. And that said much for the general feeling. Not that that will worry O'Brien and his camp followers. Whereas once upon a time they were in racing for the sheer fun of it they now play the commodity market where risks cannot be taken. How they must be laughing. Danzatore is still unbeaten albeit in Ireland. While Lomond, who has been defeated there once, has won a Guineas. Banco. Both ways they win Lomond has now become

a multi-million dollar investment overnight with a performance to match his pedigree. He bred three-year-old colts. is a half-brother to the American triple crown winner, Seattle Slew, by Northern Dancer, a supremely successful stallion who needs no introduction.

However, forgetting the financial aspect for a second year even O'Brien must and derived enormous pleasure Robert Sangster simply to from the result itself. His record that he preferred to leave everything to the pilots. "When everything to try to fly catalogue of disaster since the the passenger starts to try to fly days of Nijinsky and Sir Ivor the plane it's time to get off?"

And this finally put a stop to the Mr Sangster added with a gringing.

them. The way the wind was silver lining ... again. blowing yesterday he will not, even though most bookmakers the classics is concerned O'B-- noticeably not Ladbroke's - rien came up with the sugges-

Draw advantage: Low numbers best.

Tote: Double 3.10, 4.15, Treble 2.30, 3.45, 4.45.

2.0 DARWEN STAKES (2-Y-O: £1,744; 5f) (5 runners)

1-2 Fleet Builder, 3 Lawnswood Avenger, 6 Pearl Run, 10 Micky Fox.

2.30 HOLLOWS WOOD CHASE (Novices handicap:

1 2233 TUDOR FOLLY (CD) W A Stephenson 7-11-12

5-2 Solut Rock, 7-2 Lorentino, 5 Traceye Special, 6 Tudor Folly, 8 Leander Blue, 10 Late Night Extra, 12 Press Gang, Hadajar, 14 others.

3.10 TIA MARIA HURDLE (Handicap:£20.130: 2m)

[Television: (BBC1) 2.0, 2.30 and 3.10 races]

Vincent O'Brien had the last still gave him an ante-post tion that in the future perhaps later that good ground would laugh at Newmarket on Satur- quote of between 10-1 and 7-1 bookmakers should consider have to be a pre-condition if he day when Lomond won the in the Derby betting. Lad- offering odds against the stable 2.000 guineas but only his broke's opted for his stable as a whole rather than any given

That was sad for them because quarter for the time being." that they deserved better. On the was Eddery's post-race assessday neither horse nor rider ment of Lomond and he was immediately supported by Usually the finish of a classic O'Brien's immensely experidoes not know is not worth knowing.

"He's got so much foot that I reckon that a mile is his maximum," Burns insisted. And he went on to say that the race. Lomond had been looking a potential Guineas winner since he won the Gladness Stakes at the Curragh on April 9.

All in all Saturday's result bodes well for Ballydoyle. With this coveted victory in the bag they can only be looking to even better things in the future from the likes of Caerleon. Salmon Leap and Solford, all beautifully

As to which will be their Derby runner, your guess is as good as mine at present. At this juncture I would be inclined towards Caerlean, who may run in the Nijinsky Stakes at Leopardstown on Saturday. Asked about what he thought, Robert Sangster simply replied Those two great horses went Ballydoyle passengers he could on to win the Derby as well, but only time will tell whether knowledge that after Lomad's Lomond will try to emulate famous win their journey had a

As far as ante-post betting on

Haydock Park

FLEET BUILDER J Berry 9-0 S Morris 5 1 (10-9)m2rid bessen 10 to Dawn Flun (gave 15tb) 13 ran. Liverpool 2m 51
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NICKY POX 1 Taylor 9-0 Seagrave 2 SELECTION: Ethics.

PEARL RUIN K Stone 9-0 Seagrave 3 3.45 ELLAMS BROOK HURDLE (Handicap; £1,954;

1023 SOLID ROCK (CD) D Barons 7-11-11 C Brown 25 PSCUIdamore C Brown 2441 LATE MIGHT EXTRA (D) K Belley 7-11-11 A Webb 4131 TRACEYS SPECIAL (D) A Turnel 6-11-0 Steve Krught 5-2 You're Welcoms, 7-2 Road To Mandalay, 5 Lawnswood Miss, 6 British PRESS GANG J S Wiscon 8-11-0 C Smith 2244 ADAJALAM H 316 8-10-10 C Smith 2244 ADAJALAM H 316 8-10-10 C Grant 4.15 LONGTON STAKES (3-Y-O maldens: £1,881:6f)

2m 6f) (10)

Derby. horse. So far none has taken up "He is a top-class miler and it his suggestion as far as the Leap are all quoted in various

> The drama which had attended this year's 2,000 for so long continued right up to the last minute. An infection had been discovered in Diesis's off-fore joint very early in the day and he spent the whole morning with his leg in ice packs. As a result his presence in the field was in the balance until threequarters of an hour before

Only after a lengthy dis-cussion with his vet and the colt's owners did Henry Cecil decide to take the risk. Sadly the gamble did not come off because Diesis moved short on the way to the post and he hung in the race itself. In the end he finished eighth.

Gorytus, another controversial runner in the field did marginally better. Admirers of this truly good-looking colt had a moment of excitement when he struck the front two furlongs from home, but he tired soon afterwards and finished fifth. Neither Willie Carson nor Dick Hern were too despondent afterwards, but Hern added

Big-race result

season but is a good hurder on his day, last years winner. Cool Decision (11-9) 5th beaten 30 to Preiko (nec 25th) 14 ran. Haydock 2m 4th 'cap hide, soft Agr 5. Very Prenalske (12-3) won 51 from Consught Piver (rec 15th) 13 ran. Liverpool 2m nov hide, soft, Agr 7. The Feodbroker (10-13) won 12 from Homeson (gave 98th) 8 ran. Chellerham 2m h'cap hide, soft, Apr 20. Aveodale Princese (11-3) won 4 from Lulav (gave 4th) 13 ran. Ascot 2m h'cap hide, good to soft, Apr 13. Thurstee (10-9)mand beaten 10 to Dawn Rum (gave 15th) 13 ran. Liverpool 2m 5f 110yd h'cap hide, soft, Apr 8.

1 0- ALAWR Themson Jones 9-0
2 0000- DONTT ANNOY ME R Whitaker 9-0
3 3430- DRAGON PRINCE J Ethnington 9-0
6 0000- HEATHER PRINCE A W Jones 9-0
20-ANDREW D Chapman 9-0
9 020-2 MASTER LOCKWOOD G Humbs 9-0
10 00-30 MOUNT RULE R Holinshead 9-0
12 0- TEZ SHANZADA P Mastern 9-0
13 00- VALOROSO C Thornton 9-0
15 004-0 GRADILLE (8) R Houghton 8-11
24 Meditors 3 Master Lockwood 9-2

4.45 BURSLEM HANDICAP (£2,670: 2m 28yd) (10)

7-4 Date Queen, 5-2 Prako, 4 John Feather, 6 Shooting Butts, 8

3.0 (3.3) 2.000 GUINEAS STAKES (Group I: 3-y-0: 273,482 (III)

Said) 9-0 Symmon: I areate (Kais A)

Also Ran: 100-80 fav Diesis, 7-2 Gorytus
(5th), 9-2 Wessal, 18-1 Alverton, 18-1 Drumalis,
20-1 Proclaim, 25-1 Spanish Pisce, 33-1 All
Systems Go, 50-1 Gurs of Navarone, Kuwah
Tower (4th), Tecomo, 200-1 Lofty (8th),
Rivensky, 16 ran, TOTE Wir: \$13,90, Pisces:
\$2.70, \$25.80, \$24.0, \$0°; \$179.90, \$C\$F\$134.87, M V O'Brien in Ireland, 2, 4,1 min
43,87esc.

were to run Gorytus before the

In finishing fifth it could be said that Gorytus ran as well in the Guinneas as St Paddy did in 1960 before he went on to win the Derby. But when the crunch came on Saturday nothing could match Lomond's classic burst of speed, although Tolo-meo did well to overcome an indifferent run and stage a late rally that took him past Kuwait Tower and Muscatite into

Tolomeo thus became the sixth horse that Luca Cumani has trained to be placed in a classic. A win sill cludes him. Tolomeo is unlikely to run before the Derby, while Musca-tite will probably miss the Epsom classic and wait for the Prince of Wales Stakes at Royal Ascot instead

second place.

"Not a bad second string to have," was Bill O'Gorman's comment after watching On Stage win the Palace House Stakes. Besides being the understatement of the season that remark was also a handsome compliment to the stable's first string, Brondesbury, who is still in the wings waiting for better

By finishing second to On Stage under 121b penalty Fearless Lad also put himself right in contention for top spring honours this season. Fearless Lad is now destined to go to Sandown Park at the end of this month for the Temple Stakes, leaving On Stage free to tackle Prince Spy, an equally impress-ive winner at Newmarket the day before, in the Duke of York

Stakes at York.
Out of luck in the Guineas. Cecil at least had the satisfaction of seeing Precocious win the Philip Cornes Nickel Alloys Stakes decisively. That means Stakes decisively. That means and John Benstead winning Mighty Fly, on better terms that he has now run three two-year-olds this season and won the help of Pat Eddery, who is he finished fifth behind her.

Draw advantage: high numbers best

£1,035: 5f) (23 runners)

Tota double 3.15, 4.15. Trable 2.45, 3.45, 4.45

2.15 WISETON AUCTION STAKES (2-y-o maidens:

5-2 Singerman, 7-2 Jacoren, 5 Winning Style, 6 Arahab, 7 Mary Rose, 10 Abe My Boy, 12 K's The Best, 20 Others.

3 4131- BRI-EDEN (D) J Berry 9-9-7 _____ K Darley
4 024-2 CREE SONG (D) P Calver 7-8-12 _____ O Gray
5 1400- NEW EXPRESS (D) G Huffler 4-8-6 ____ M MBer
8 9220- SINGER SABOR (D) H Thompson 4-9-0 _W Carson
10 200-1 BATONI (D) M H Easterby 4-9-6 (6 ex) ____ M Birch
11 0300- DREAM AGAIN (D) J McNaughson 3-8-6

14 9300- RUSSIAN WINTER (B) (D) A W Jones 8-8-0 -

2.45 COAL MINER HANDICAP (£6,364: 51) (8)

[Television (ITV) 2.15, 2.45 and 3.15 races]



Golden guineas: Lomond and Pat Eddery are led ino the winner's enclosure by Mrs Robert Sangster, wife of the winning owner, after their 2,000 triumph.

age in his care it is precisely the sort of start he was looking for, as well as being a timely reminder to his rivals of the awesome strength in depth at Warren Place.

So to today's card at Kempton Park where the going is bound to be testing in the to Lion City, who so nearly won extreme. You do not have to be the Spring Cup at Newbury blessed with a vivid imagination to picture Jeremy Tree meeting the Lincoln winner,

Doncaster

with all three in the space of currently on a crest, Tree looks only three days. With more than a hundred of that tender and the Parth Stakes with Lyphnap and Orange Reef, respectively. Benstead's best chances probably lie with We'll Meet Again in the Saxon House Handicap and the lightly weighted Timsah in the Appledore

Handicap. The Jubilee Stakes could go

5-2 Bali Dancer, 9-2 Ridgefield, 6 Fariotta, 7 Fine Sun, 8 Mesta Gold Hill Pageant, 10 Justian Island, 12 Florida Son, 20 offices.

3.45 BAWTRY STAKES (3-y-o selling: £1,356:7f) (10)

9-4 Song To Singo, 3 Ozra, 9-2 Irene's Prote, Jolly Sara, 10 Brisbane Road, End's Wish, 12 Hogen's Bargain, 20 others.

4.15 PELEID STAKES (3-y-o maidens: £1,035: 1m 4f)

3 Alzal, 4 Firmement, 5 Jaz, Torn Older, 7 Snow Madand, 10 rosawa, 12 Katie Bourne, 20 others.

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AFZAL M Stouts 9-0
AMBER HEIGHTS J Harrson 9-0
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O-0 FIRMAMENT P Wateryn 9-0
O-03 JAT R Holinsbead 9-0
XURFOSAWA R Sheather 9-0
MR McGFF S Norton 9-0
NATIVE LAW R Hobsen 9-0
O RED REPPLE N Trider 9-0
O SADDAM F Durt 9-0
O SADDAM F Durt 9-0
O SADDAM F Durt 9-0
O TOM OKICER L CURBER 9-0
O- TOM OKICER L CURBER 9-0
O- TOM OKICER L CURBER 9-0
O- OYORKSHRIE MOORES R Armstros
OO-20
KATIE BOURNE E Curber 8-11
AND A ARMS - TOM OKICER L S. Jet. S. JET. TOM OKICER L S. JET. S. JET. S. JET. S.

Kempton Park Draw advantage: high numbers best Tote double 3.0, 4.0. Trable 2.30, 3.30, 4.30 Television (TTV) 2.30, 3.0 and 3.30 races} 20 ORCHARD HOUSE STAKES (2-y-o: £2,540: 57)(4 runners) ANY BUSSIESS (CO) (Rate VI.mole) (8 Londs (94 Me TON BROWN) (0) (Rate McAgains) (9 Conduit (94 REESH (6) H Yarid sed Alexand) W J Chroman 8-11 TURGY BOY (A) K A! Lather) C Senstrad (9-11 13-5 Reach, 9-4 Any Business, 11-4 Hillon Brown, 8 Turcy Boy. 2.30 SAXON HOUSE HANDICAP (£2,188: 1m 2f) (12) (1) SAKON MOUSE HARLINGAP (E.C., 100., 111 2) (1)
434201- IIISA PLYER (Trium Holdings) J Bernar 4-3.10
1009-02 BETTYRIUMES (20) (3) 3049 A highest 5-6-10
1003-4 WE'LL MEZT AGAIN (3) (7) Galticard C Bernard
1003-4 PARA-OF-0ELICES (5 Sandard) R Harmon 4-92
202341- DIBETRI (3) (Abr W Sanda) C Nelson 4-90
1013-2 NO.-U-TURK (5 Trickel) S Mellor 5-6-10
104230-0 OREVEE ET STAR (0) Moorely M Flyan 4-9-6
10430-0 MIRSHAAMSHI ARAD (Shedor Mothermore) J Che A 4902-32 BOSSANOVA BOY (R. Hanley) P Malán 4-8-1 Bossanova 5 00018-6 ARMALOU (D) (T Rowley) D Sease 4-7-11 Black 3 Bethylmores, 7-2 We'll Meet Applin, 5 Kandres, 8 Tember Creak, 10 Tules Phys., 86 U-Turn, 14 Bossanova Boy, 15 odfers. 3.0 SKYLARK STAKES (3-y-o fillies: £3,248: 60)(11) SATLARK STAKES (3-y-0 IBIRSS: LO.Z4G GI) [11]

6-8 DANCENG WHID (Dr C Version) P Walvys 5-10

GACCENTELL (I Grappy) Q Liperts 5-10

9- BESK CLEPPER (P PSQ) P Cole 5-10

9- JE TYABE (R SHE) R.J Williams 6-10

90- LEGENDARY CHEEN RSJ CONTROL 9-10

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3.30 JUBILEE HANDICAP (£11,054: 111) (12)
402 13110-0 ELLE EMBANERI I Z (Robinso Lis) N Campium 4-4-7.
403 2479-10 MIGHTY FLY (D) (Mrs Y TON) D EMWOTH 4-6-6.
405 0130-00 CRATANO (D) (A Gracon) J Sutcide 5-9-12.
407 2010-43 CROWN (D) (D Manray) C Booth 4-5-11.
408 122-23 EMAR (R Smith) J Dunio 4-6-10.
409 412-10-3 BALBAN (D) Rats J McCloughill Baiding 4-8-6.
410 210-24 FANDANGE (D) (J Tree) J Tree 5-4-6.
411 210-00 THE RPLEYTE (D) (E Carbon) G Baiding 4-8-7.
413 4430-34 LIFLANDS PARK (D) (A Manray) Park Study C British 4-8-6.
414 -14-0-33 LION CTY (D.B) (C Machon) E Booth 4-8-8.
415 0300-2 MAN IN THE MEDICE (B) (P Husson) D Sesse 7-7-12.
416 1-10-10 LION CROWN THE MEDICE (B) (P Husson) D Sesse 7-7-12.
417 ENDROSE 6 LION CROWN Ph. 8 Ensur. Grown, Uphands Park 5 Pandengie, 5 Lion City, 7 Mightly Phy. 8 Boser, Grosen, Upbride Perk, 10 One The Middle, Mellonan, 16 The Hiptoyrie, Manney, 20 Blue Ecomoroselle. FORM: Lien City (7-13) 3rd bestern 'J to Mocality Stone (not Sit) and Pendengie (mire this 7m in the Creative (gave Sit) not in first 9 of 19, NewCury 1m in cap good to soft Apr 18, Mighty 19, 2, 11) 5th bestern 13-11 to RidgeSeld (not 1955) 18 cm. Kempton 1m 27 in cap soft Apr 4. Chang 6-11 3rd bestern 43 to Christonia Cottage (not 100) 9 cm. Newcastle 71 for profit Apr 2. Selman (8-7) of bestern 43 to Township (not 120) 9 cm. Wolverhampton 1m in cap heavy Apr 19, SELECTION: Lion City.

4.0 APPLEDORE HANDICAP (3-y-o: £2,670: 7f) (9)

901 - RAASHREAN (Hadi Al-Tajr) Thomson Jones 9-7

103-0 RE'S RESTRESS (J. Johnson) J Hindey 9-6

201000 - RATIVE TURES (J. Richards) J Hindey 9-6

6030 - RATIVE TURES (A. Richards) G Britain 8-12

300-01 AVERON (D) (R. Calcard) C Wildman 8-5

100000 - AVERON (D) (R. Calcard) C Wildman 8-5

100000 - RATIVE TURES (A. Richard) C Wildman 8-5

100000 - RAVERON (Manufact Al-Markount) C Benstead 8-6

70-0 BRITISH (AIT DAYS G Malangs) C Benstead 8-7

1000000 - RATIVE C RESTRESS (R. RICHARD) C WILDMAN (R. RICHARD) R. RICHARD (R. RICHARD) C RESTRESS (R. RICHARD) R. RICHARD (R. RICHARD) 4.30 PARTH STAKES (3-y-o: £2,838; 1m 4f) (10)

11-10 Orange Reaf, 11-4 Measme, 7-2 Smeak Preview, 10 Avisiond, 14 Whisiy Tios, Open ke. 16 others.

Kempton selections By Michael Phillips

2.0 Hilton Brown, 2.30 We'll Meet Again, 3.0 Lyphnap, 3.30 Lion City, 4.0 Timsah, 4.30 Orange Reef. By Our Newmarket Correspondent 2.0 Reesh. 2.30 Cheveley Star. 3.0 Je T'Aime. 3.30 Lion City. 4.0 Razshideah. 4.30 Riskey Time.

> Haydock selections By Michael Seely

2.0 Fleet Builder. 2.30 Tracy's Special. 3.10 Very Promising. 3.45 You're Welcome. 4.15 Maninstar. 4.45 Delta Queen. By Our Newmarket Correspondent 4.15 Maninstar, 4.45 Worth Avenue.

Doncaster selections

By Michael Seely 2.15 Singerman. 2.45 Batoni. 3.15 Bali Dancer. 3.45 Irene's Pride. 4.15 Afrai. 4.45 Deutchmark. By Our Newmarket Correspondent

2.15 Jacoran. 2.45 Transflash. 3.15 Bali Dancer, 3.45 Irene's Price 4.15 Afzal 4.45 Deutchmark

Piencourt has often been considered ungennine, but he is a reformed the-way victory in Kempton's Greenbarn Ballast Handicap on Sausths: Now the five-year-old is on schedule to take on the cream of the spirit handicappers in Royal Ascot's Wokingham Stakes on June 17. "People have been very rude about Piencount in the past, but these was are making them think again", the trainer Cliff Austin, said adding, "he is not ungenuine, the fact is that on occasions he has been slowly away from

not ungenuine, the fact is that on occasions he l John Dunlop introduced a \$275,000 colt, Beach Palace, in the Windsor Park Maiden Stakes, but Shaikh Mohammed's colt finished last of the 14 conners. Victory went to Spanish Bold, a care winner for Peter Gust. whose fortunes have been at a low ebb in recent seasons.

EDLINGTON HANDICAP (3 3.15 SPORTING CHRONICLE HANDICAP (E9.274:

3 EDILING ION HANDICAP (3-y-0; z 1130- MANUNIA L CURREN 9-7; 3 0-00 BONNY SHELDS (C) K Stone 9-3; 120-0 CARNEADES M H EXSTREY 9-3 14-30 SUPER SOULX J Servy 9-0 4303- DRAGONZEA (C) W Halph 6-13 12-4 BUSCHM M H EXSTREY 8-12 12-4 BUSCHM M HE SERVY 8-12 12-4 BUSCHM M HE SERVY 8-12 14-0 OUENEAS G Huffler 8-5 13-0 SWING TO ME C BRITISH 7-13 14-00 SEA REPPIN K Stone 7-10 94-10 SELLY BOY (D) N Bycroft 7-8 14-4 Buschmark 9-2 SEA BERW Cars 7-4 Busonn. 11-4 Deutschmark. 9-2 Silv Boy, 5 Centes, 8 Supe

Runners and riders for five National Hunt programmes

1m 2f 50yd) (13)

Devon 2.15 TOM CUNDY HUNTER CHASE (A-0-f0 Integration 9-12-7 Baresca 8-12-0 City Parade 9-12-0

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id Led (B) 11-6 V McKevitt 4 13 3 Dampier, 4 Little Little Polveir, 5 Don 3.45 FOXTOR £1,272: 2m 6f) (11)

31 p40 Yudgan's Gift 8-10-0 ____ J Williams 35 0-10 Naughry Niece 7-10-0 ___ P Richards 36 003 Austher Plater 8-10-0 ___ S May 7 pfg Wilthymans Peol 9-10-0 M Ayelffed 39 p00 Tuder King 9-10-0 ___ C Grey 4

R Maliman 4

25 222 Isla Of Shorts 4-11-0 . Ovices: £858: 2m 1f) (18)
310 Captain Pat 7-12-3 J Williams
010 Le Vert Gaisert 5-12-3 J Williams
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000: Bootobelli 5-11-7 J M Barrett 4
000: Bootobelli 5-11-7 J M Murphy 7
000: Easter Vision 7-11-7 J Powell 7
000: Baster Vision 7-11-7 J Linky
01-0 Gaellic Teuch 8-11-7 J C Gray 4
00 Histor City 5-11-7 J M Aythis 4
00 Major Symphony 5-11-7 J Biocondield 7
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pp Particularly 5-11-7 Mr Dunn 7
000 Use Saity 5-11-7 M Magrato 7
000 Use Saity 5-11-7 J S McNelli
Nationa Spring 4-10-10 S McNelli
Nationa Spring 4-10-10

13-8 Le Vert Galant, 7-4 Captain Pat, 5 stem Vision, 8 Prairie Mover. Newcastle 2.15 CRUMSTONE HURDLE (handl-cap: £902: 2m 120yd) (8 runners)

901 On Leave 6-11-12 (5 ax) C Bell 7 900 Ryecroft 5-10-5 Thompson 7 100 Mendelsek 6-10-1 Thompson 7 900 Treklass Secret 6-10-0 M Barnes 400 Meggles Dane (8) 7-10-0 A Wilson 7 2.45 LONGSTONE CHASE (handicap: £1,548: 3m) (11) 6 231 Little Frenchman 10-10-12 (8 ex)
7 210 Parkinnds 8-10-11 — E McIntyrs
9 332 Why Forget 7-10-10 — E McIntyrs
0 0fb Twiffight 8-10-0 — C Hawkins
1 45r The Vinther 12-10-0 — Mr Browns
2 22- Mr Shugg 8-10-0 — 7 G Dun
1 000 Young Segent 10-10-0

3.15 NEWCASTLE HURDLE (novices: £2,229: 2m 4f) (6)

45 MEGSTONE CHASE (novices:

4.15 JOHN STRAKER CHASE (handi-cap amateurs: £1,510: 2m 4f) (4) P Hughes 7 12 323 Resy's Song 9-10-3 R Becom 7 49 042- Wing Vehet 5-10-0 W Morris 4
50 000 Ensigns (fit 8-10-0 M Brisbours
55 002 Magic Formula (S) 5-10-0 --57 0-00 Beruille 7-10-0 --61 0/00 Niswyth 12-10-0 --62 pp0 George Kintend 11-10-0 --63 000 Huntjess 8-10-0 --64 000 Brischty Fits 7-10-0 --69 040 Law Of The Land 6-10-0
67 1 Combridge 4 3.45 TELFORD £1,270: 3m) (5) 000- Northern Edition 6-11-7

0-07 Settling Day 7-11-7 D Williamon 234 Viraya Pet 6-11-7 M Barnes

0 Westwood Blace 5-11-7 M Storey 4

123 Permy's Bream 4-11-2 M Thompson 7

033 Vitingo 4-11-2 M K Milner 4

00 Le Bird 4-10-11 P Barry 33 033 Vitingo 4-11-2 Mr Thompson 7 38 00 Le Bird 4-10-11 — P Berry 1-2 HB's Guard, 7-2 Vimy's Pat, 6 Penny's Orsem, 10 Vitingo. NEWCASTLE SELECTIONS: 2.15 On Leave. 2.45 Tacray, 3.15 Pull Manazra, 3.45 Bold Agant, 4.15 Chabble, 4.45 Hill's Guard. Ludlow 2.15 GREAT HAY HURDLE (Div novices: £483; 2m) (18 runners) 010 Kingsbere 7-11-10 Harren 4
000 Mutty Stack 5-11-10 P Berton
0 Celtic Bell 5-11-0 P Dever 7
Emmetts Grange 6-11-0 P Dever 7
Emmetts Grange 6-11-0 M Coyle
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.15 IRONBRIDGE CHASE (handicap: £1,339: 2m 4f) (9) (20) Green Dotoble 9-10-1 G. Jones 10-p Joby Red 6-10-0 W. Morris 4 fill Cosmic Ocession 8-10-0 P. Carvill 00p Floreshaw 8-10-0 Power 7 4.45 GREAT HAY HURDLE (DIV H 0-0 Bepsen 5-11-0 00p Bland Solder 5-11-0 302 Troll Lady 6-11-0 J. Washen 4
302 Troll Lady 6-11-0 M. Williams
00 Cheeko 4-10-4 M. M. Williams
202 Golden Kapil 4-10-4 B. Powell 7
pur Linpac Gold 4-10-4 Batt Finish 4-10-4 2 Golden Knoil, 3 Nutty Stack, 5 Troil Lady, 13-2 Tormore. 2.45 WELSHPOOL CHAS handicap: £1,050: 2m) (12) Southwell

LUDLOW SELECTIONS: 2.15 Ride High. 2.45 FBetts Farm. 3.15 Under-Reted. 3.45 De Phylinel. 4.15 Real View. 4.45 Set Screen. 2.30 MINERS WELFARES CHASE-(maldens: £855: 3m 110yd) (9 040 King Bing (B) 7-10-0 000 Taepet Hall 6-10-0 9-4 Philinorm, 3 Capvista, 5 Filetts Farm, 13-Benerous Bid. 100 Glasgow Central 6-12-0

34-0 Royal Rescal 5-12-7 ... 004 Casal Royale 5-12-3 ... 200 Alabama 5-11-12 0PO Clouds Heaves 00 Leavel 4-11-5 U Metro Maid (B) dicap: £1,303: 3m 110yo) (8)

3.30 MAY DAY HOLIDAY CHASE (han-4.0 BLACK DIAMOND HURDLE (handi-

02t) Medicious Red 7-10-8 handicap: £1,009; 2m 74yds) (9)

20 OF3 Cowker Dytes 7-10-7 ... 22 300 Artic Fox 7-10-0 15-8 Royal Don.m 7-2 Some Jinks, rahms And Liszi, 6 Aversun. 5.0 MAYPOLE HURDLE Novices:

£414: 2m 4f) (12). 40 00 Le Bird +11-5 PBerry 1 02 Menor Farm Toots +11-5 -- P 44 002 Roman Mericar 4-11-5 -- C Grant

SELECTIONS: 2.30 Pretty Lass. 3.0 Royal Rascal, 3.30 Sunit River, 4.0 The Beginning. 4.30 Aversun, 5.00 Forman Mariner.

Fontwell Park 2.00 FITTLEWORTH HURDLE (Selfing

1/p3 Jemes Ward 7-11-10

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Miss Flatch-Heyes 7

Knight Highway 8-11-0

Miss Flatch-Heyes 7

3.0 RUSTINGTON HURDLE (handicap: 007 Teres 7-10-12 DOUBTFLS
300 Another Deed 7-10-10 C Brans 7
00p Ceptain Flat 8-10-10 P Nicholis 4
ppp Chiefingtos 5-10-7 P Nicholis 4
ppp Chiefingtos 5-10-7 R Pussey 7
100 Top Reaf 5-10-5 G Entlogits
212 Brane Lan 11-10-4 M O'Halkram
434 Zipperin 5-10-3
0of Sanchaven 6-10-1 G Moore
420 City Link Express 7-10-0 P
p00 Heavy The Great 8-10-0 M Carberry

Staffordshare Knot, 4 Hay Ride, 5 Morton Hatter, 6 Curtain Run.

3.30 BOGNOR REGIS CHASE (Handicap: £2,632: 2m 2f 110yd) (15)
3 31f Benry's Boy 10-11-9 (15) ex)
6 011 Cruise Meetin 7-11-9 (5 ex)
5 Smith Eccles

421 Nampara Cove 9-16-0 J. Alexandria 110 Mistar Coof 6-16-0 J. Robinsta 4 430 Durtsen Lad 10-10-0 J. R. Enrashaw pp0 Case Arte 6-10-0 J. R. Enrashaw pp1 Case Arte 6-10-0 J. R. Scott 7 3p) Bill The Black 12-10-0 J. C. Evane 7 002 Poor Excess 8-10-0 J. F. Byrne 7

4.0 BRACKLESHAM HURDLE (Novic-101 Whole Shaking 11-11 ... A Holder 4 110 The Ganger Han 11-6 ... Pi Arpott 7 007 Denoting Soverales 11-7 I Lovejoy 7 013 The Pain Burrier 11-1 W Seeth

40 000 Start The Music 10-10 M. Hammond 4

4.30 ALDWICK CHASE (Novices handicap: £1,205: 2m 2f 110yd) (12)

PONTWELL SELECTRINS: 26 Indiado. 2.30 Physicist. 3.0 Hay Ride. 3.30 Cruine Missile. 4.0 Whole Sheberg. 4.30 Revolver.

STATE OF GORNG: Doncaser: straight course - soft, round course - soft, kempton Paric heavy, dasse course - soft Devor: heavy, classe course - soft Devor: heavy, Ludow: soft; Forthead Paric soft; Newcastis; heavy, Southwell heavy.

Baitimore, Maryland, (AFP) - the four-year-old English-bred horse. Sun and Shine, gained his first important victory in the United States in winning the \$58,200 Riggs Handicap at the Pimlico rarecourse here Sanirday. Saturday's

Kempton Park 22 3. Gyrth 3 Cancido (16-1); and respect of 1 sain.
3.0: 1. Spenistr Behrt (16-7); 2. Senistri Place (2-1 say); 3. Uties (12-1); 34 sain lift Freedom Of Flight.
3.30: 1. Astrail Beacont (100-36 last; 2. Leaning (12-1); 3. Delevoor lifts (22-1); 30 sain.
4.0: 1. Falcont's Hele (11-2); 2. Towney (100-36 last; 3. Sond Dester (6-1); 4. Suppl Last (25-1); 18 rati.

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MOTOR RACING

Resigned to second

place, Tambay

is surprise winner

Patrick Tambay became the toast of Imola yesterday afternoon when a gave Ferrari a surprise victory in the San Marino Grand Prix after the San Marino Grand Prix after the same statement of the same

Eddie Cheever's Kenaint broke his engine on the second lap; Nelson Piquet, retired with engine trouble when in fifth place; both the Alfa Romeos dropped put, Andrea de Cesaris abondoning his smoking car at the pits and Mauro Baldi

suffering a hlow-up when he seemed to be heading for sixth place; and Manfred Windelhock's ATS-BMW

expired one lap from the end.

For the second race in succession the Saudia-Williams team won the "three litte race", Keke Rosberg taking fourth place ahead of John Watson, who brought his Marlborough-McLaren through from 24th position on the grid in another fighting drive through the field. Niki Lauda, however, locked up his brakes and clipped a barrier with the other McLaren, retiring on the spot.

other McLaren, retiring on the spot.

The most dramatic accident happened to Nigel Mansell on his 57th lap when the rear wing of his JPS Lotus came adrift, sending the rear of his car into the air and learnthing him into violent senior.

rear of his car into the air and launching him into violent spins.

RESULTS: 1, P Tembey (Ferrart), the 37min 52.480ec (115.25 mph); 2 A Proot (Renault) 1:38-11.241; 3, R Arnoux (Ferrart), 59 leps: 4, M Rosberg (Saudia/Williams-Ford), 55: 5. Watson (Marthorough McLeren-Ford), 59: 5 N Super (Arrows-Ford), 58: 7. Laffite (Saudia Williams-Ford), 58: 8, C Sura (Arrows-Ford), 58: 9, R Bossel (Liper-Ford), 58: 10, M Bedi (Alta Romso), 57: 11, M Whiteshock (ATS BMW), 57: 12, N Marsel (Lipe Lotus-Ford), 56: 13, R Patress (Brabhers-Gidth), 54:

BMWN, 57: 12, N Mansol (JPS Lotus-Ford), 56
13, R Patrise (Brabharn-BidM), 63
WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP: Drivers: equal 1
Prost, Piquet, 15pts: 3, Tambey, 14; 4, Warson
11; 5, Lauda, 10; 6, Amoux, 8; 7, Latits, 7; 8
Rosbert, 5; equal 9, Cheswar and Surce, 4; 11,
Cecotts, 1, Edyndrictures: 1, Ferrari, 22; 2,
McLaren-Ford, 21; 3, Rensult, 19; 4, BrabhamBMW, 15; 5, Williams-Ford, 12; 6, Arrows-Ford,
4; 7, Theodore-Ford 1.

eventually started at Lord's: Knight

having caused considerable damage. Dilley, seemingly revitalized after wintering in South Africa, took two

Botham may be revitalized too.
At Trent Bridge he revealed a slimmer waist-line and an out-swinger that swings. We look now to

No play yesterday DERBY: Gloucesterside 343 for 4 (A W Storoid 181, Zaheer Abbas 83) v Esrbyshire. LEICESTER: Hempshire 282 for 5 dec (C L Smith 129 not out, D R Turner 62) v

of six wickets to fall.

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expired one lap from the end.

the San Marino Grand Prix after having resigned himself a few minutes earlier to finishing only second. He had never been lower

than third place and he took over the lead on the thirty-lifth of the

sixty laps when Riccardo Patrese, whose Brabham-BMW had led from

the sixth lap, made his mid-race refuelling stop, two laps after Tambay had refuelled.

Patrese, who lost 24 seconds because he overshot his pit position

because he overshot his pit position by two feet and an air line broke when a mechanic tried to reach the car, set off to reduce the 10-second lead which Tambay had inherited. Tambay did his best to respond but it looked like being an unequal struggle. "I had been going flat out from the start of the race," he told me afterwards "and everything was working fine. But after the pit stop my engine started to cut out going

my engine started to cut out going through the fastest left handed curve on the course. That is where Riccardo was making up time on me and that was where he passed

"I thought it has to be second place today, but three corners after he passed me Riccardo slid straight on and went ploughing into the tyre barrier. It was bad luck for him

race, but he got slightly off line and

A few seconds later, Rene

behind Alain Prost's Renault, had a

but he managed to restart his car

generous odds if there are any more

WG, of course, would not have been affected by such a trifling

L'Attrayante is new queen of Longchamp

gamble at Longchamp yesterday because of a dispute between the oncourse. Tote operators and the Gold in the Ganay a year ago and narrowly failed to beat Gint of Course Tote operators and the Gold in the Grand Prix at Saint-Gourse. That meant that few betting booths were open and crained. betting booths were open and racing ran half-an-hour late throughout the afternoon, which did not upset the

crowd as they were allowed into the raccourse for nothing.

The Poule d'Essai des Pouliches (French 1,000 Gnineas) went to the 12-1 chance. L'Attrayante, by half a length from Mystérieuse Etotle, with Maximum third Silvertieuse. Maximova third. Silverdip was the cast of the English and finished ixth, just half a length in front of the disappointing Goodbye Shelley, who after the race was found to be

season by Steve Norton.

Olivier Douieb intends to run L'Attrayante in the Goffs Irish 1,000 uineas at The Curragh on May 21, nd this is also the race selected by iquette Head for Maximova. Attrayante has raced well in topclass company all her career, and she turned the tables on some of her rivals yesterday probably because Alain Badel has learnt to tuck the filly away until the last possible

Mystérieuse Etoile took over the lead 300 yards from the post, but the filly could not hold the late challenge of L'Attrayante, who took trailings of L'Attrayante, who took the lead with half a finlong left to run. In previous races, L'Attrayante had twice been behind Mysterieuse Etoile, who was squeezed for room at the beginning of the straight and came back with a cut on her near hind.

Mystertieuse Etoile in the Prix Saint-Alary, which is also the chosen race for the honest Little Chosen race for the nonest Little Meadow, who once again ran on well in the final stages. John Lowe said of Goodbye Shelley: "She didn't run her race, but she does have two ways of running." Ian Bakding will saddle Silvertip the her is Sendiaghor at Choseith the

General Holme, who was found to be running a temperature yesterday, missed the Prix Gansy, which was won by the six-year-old Lancastrian by a short head from Cadoudal. The well-backed favourite, Welsh Term was a remote third, having looked in trouble from good two furlongs out. Owned by Sir Michael Sobell and trained by David Smaga, Lancastrian will not race again until the Grand Prix de Saint-Cloud in early July.

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performance on the PRX d'Harcourt
cartier this mouth down to the
heavy ground. For much of the race,
Alain Legueux was pashing his
mount along, but once he was asked
to accelerate in the straight,
Lancastian found excellent pace to take the lead in the furlong marker. only just failed to take the £40,000

only just failed to take the £40,000 first prize. Bernard Sectly may possibly run Cadoudal in Coronastion Cup at Epsom, and a disappointed Robert Collet goes for the Prix Dollar with Weish Term.

George Duffield jumped off Noalcoholic after the Prix du Muguet and declared: "I was really stitched up." The six-year-old could manage only eightly blace to the 35-11. studied up. The six-year-old could manage only eighth place to the 35-1 shot Prospero after being badly interfered with down the hill and again in the straight. Montekin showed well with two furlongs left to run, but he faded into fifth position. The Lockings Stakes at Newhyn will be the pert roce. position. The Localing Newbury will be the next race for

POULE O'ESSAI DES POULICHES (Group I: 3-y-o filies: 245,748 lm)
L'ATTRAYANTE br f by Tyrani- Camerate
(Arts C H Trisoriot) 9-2 A Badel 1
Shysteriscae Etolia A Gibert 2

Very Promising to follow a pattern

Women trainers have been in the news recently. Ma Biche's triumph for Criquette Head in last week's 1.000 Guineas followed hard on the heels of Jenny Pitman's victory with Corbiere in the Grand National. This afternoon at Haydock Park Mercy Rimell, the first of her set to addle the winner of the Champion Hurdle, can strike another blow by capturing the Tia Maria Hurdle with Very Promising. Mrs Rimell's husband, Fred, won

Mrs Rimell's husband, Fred, won the National Hunt season's ricesal handicap hurdle prize with Royal Gaye and Gaye Chance and Very Promising has similar credentials to this pair. The five-year-old is only a novice but has sound claims to be regarded as the season's best young hurdler. He showed a fine blend of speed and stamina when bearing Connaught River at Aintree and had previously strode home in the Panama Cigar final at Chepstow after Deep Wealth's fatal fall at the third flight from home.

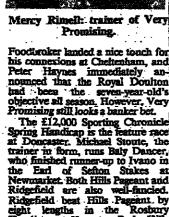
Of his rivals, Ekbalco continues in good heart as she showed when winning the Welsh Champion hurdle at Chepstow and when narrowly defeated by Royal Vulcan
at Avr. The Foodbroker and at Avr. The Foodbroker and Avondale Princess are other horses in form at the right time. The

Chester latest rain casualty

Tomorrows meeting at Chester has been abandoned. The clerk of the course Charles Toller, said "The stewards inspected the course, and as a result of heavy overnight rain they abandoned Tuesday's card. They will hold a further inspection They will hold a further inspection at 11 am on Tuesday to assess prospects for the rest of the meeting and issue a futher statement after that."

There is also a serious doubt about tomorrow's Reducar card. There is an inspection at 11 am today and prospects are described as

The meetings scheduled for Warwick and Towcester today was cancelled yesteday afternoon, be cause of a wateringged course, but Haydock plan a 7 am inspection in the event of keavy oversight rain. Inspection have also been arranged at Southwell (7.30) and Devon (7.00) to decide the fate of today's meetings.



at Doncaster, annual Stotte, the trainer in form, runs Baly Dancer, who finished runner-up to Ivano in the Earl of Sefton Stakes at Newmarket, Both Hills Pageant and Ridgefield are also well-fancied, Ridgefield beat Hills Pageant, by gight, lengther in the Rockyry. eight lengths in the Rosbury Handicap at Kempton Park Hills Pageant now meets his conqueror on 70s better terms and will also be much fitter. Paul Eddery rides Peter Walwyn's four-year-old who looks the main danger to Baly Dancer in a tricky handican. Stonic could well complete a double by also winning the Peleid Maiden Stakes with

Afzal.

The two best bets at Doncaster should be Batoni and Deutschmark. Batoni was backed down from 10-1 to 11-2 before sprinting home by one-and-a-half lengths at Thirsk last week and should be too aharp for New Express in the Coal Miners' Stakes. Deutschmark ran well behind One O'Clock Jump at the first Doncaster meeting to suggest

EQUESTRIANISM

Irish flag is kept flying

vesterday's Kerrygold championship, the main event of the second
day of the Kerrygold international second the sponsors houses, Kerrygold
meeting at Hickstead. Both finished
in 47.8 sec, giving Ireland their third
victory at this meeting Schools of the sponsors houses, Kerrygold
David Bowen, on Coady, had one
down in the jump-off, but his time ony of the Kerrygoni international meeting at Hickstead. Both finished in 47.8 sec, giving Ireland their third victory at this meeting. Saturday's of 43.4sec put him well ahead of brilliant sunshine had given way to persistent, drizzing ram, making finished in 46.4sec. David Brown and Fortight, who persistent, drizzing ram, making finished in 46.4sec. David Brown.

lack Doyle, of Ireland, on Doyle, who is 24 and comes from Co Kerrygold flight, tied for first place
with Pam Dunning of Reitain, on
Griffin and Brand's Ferriess in
Saturday's main event, the Kerry-

persistent, drizzling rain, making the going heavy, and giving the usually colourful All-England Jumping Course a drab, grey appearance.

Out of the 44 starters in the championship only five went through to the jump-off, the course, designed by Pam Carrothers, was not particularly big, but the last fence, a treble, had an awkward distance between the second and third parts. Nick Skelton on Everest

not particularly big, but the last fence, a noble, had an awkward distance between the second and third parts. Nick Skelton, on Everest the time allowed more testing.

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Bristol fashion has style

It has taken bristol a long time to win a John Player Cup Final, but it has been worth waiting for. In beating Leacester at Twickenham on Saturday by three goals, a try and two penalty goals to a goal, a try and four penalties, they showed all the style which has made them such a delightful team to watch for so long - outside the scruffy confines of

Having hurdled this final barrier their belief in themselves should serve them well. They will go into that Cup rugby need not after the essentials of any team, that it is still a game for all 15 players, that it can

a game for all 15 players, that it can be played with freedom.

This was the best final in the short history of the knock-out competition, played before the best crowd of 33,000. Even when Bristol were 12 points ahead with only four minutes of proper time left, they knew they were not home; it is to their lasting credit that they kept playing with the same commitment and skill, and ended the game figurely attacking the Leicester line. Leicester were true to themselves

Leicester were true to themselves, too. Their stand-off, Cusworth, who was part of their three-year Cup winning progress said: "This was the best final I've played in and we lost. What more is there to say about the game". There had been fears beforehand that Bristol might freeze. It did not happen. Even in the first 20 minutes when Leicester dominated the manls and went into a 10.3 lead. Bristol staved cool. a 10-3 lead, Bristol stayed cool, made their own luck, and became stronger and more convincing as the second half wore on.

They ingnored the loss, with a damaged rib cartilage, of their experienced hooker Bogins after held an hour. Their front row took the strain but it was their back row who placed an indelible mark upon the proceedings. I doubt if Rafter has played many more effective games for Bristol, if ever a player deserved to take both county championship and Cup final in one season it is he. Sweeping across the line behind his throughters he. Hesford and Leicester midfield that they could seldom create openings.

Bristol's young midfield players not only obeyed Rafter's final instruction, which was to tackle, but they also had the reason they also had the nerve to run and there was immense satisfaction in Bristol's third try which sprang from Leicester's ball, manied back by Bristol and sent spinning down the



Bristol's boldness typified by the determination of Harding to ward off Dodson's challenge.

nd that as a referee in tatters.
Curiously the Bristol midfield reatly resembled Leicester's - only Rarnes and greatly resembled Leicester's - only the years intervened. Barnes and Cusworth, the little men who can kick and run and pass. Hogg and Dodge, the strong steady players, support men, doing what needs to be done; Knibbs and Woodward, all be done; Knibbs and Woodward, all legs, the matchstick men capable of opening up any defence from broken play. Barnes in particular, had an outstanding game, both with his tactical kicking and his place kicking, which must have lifted Bristol's spirits at a time when they most needed it.

The fine touches in Leicester's game were missing nowhere was this better illustrated than when they ran out of their own 22 in the first half. Barnwell came in from the first half. Barnwell came in from the blind side wing outside his centres, juggled with the ball before controlling it but still had Evans free with 70 metres to go. A try was a possibility and indeed one was scored, but not by Leicester. The pass cannoned off Evans, Carr got his boot to it and the ball bounced up into his bande for his second try. up into his hands for his second try. Cusworth, in terms of place kicking did everything that Hare might have done. He put Leicester into a six-point lead with two penalties, the second arising in

controversial circumstances. Leicester were awarded a penalty 40 metres out but as Cusworth began his run up the ball toppled over, he tapped it, made an opening and threw a lunge pass to Steve Redfern. He was then late tackled and while Richards sent Johnson over the text in a referre Roser Christen. the try-line referee Roger Quitten-ton awarded Leicester another one ny-une reserve koger Quittenton awarded Leicester another penalty, which Cusworth kicked.

Bristol might claim that Cusworth, having indicated the kick at goal, did not genuinely take it, though in the circumstances I think have right to also as he did not though in the enclinates I make the was right to play as he did and Mr Quittenton right to allow it. Equally several Bristol players relaxed when they heard the whistle,

possibly leaving more room for Johnson to score. It is one of those controversies the same loves. Evans got the first try, a worthwhile one, owing much again to the indefatigable Johnson playing in his last game. It also took Leicester past 1,000 points for the first time in their history. In the meantime Barnes kicked a huge penalty from halfway, placed a diagonal kick for Carr who scored his first try and converted it. Cusworth's third penalty was erased Carr's second try and penalties the respective stands-offs made it

At the lineout Swansea insisted

on throwing long to the back where Brown, who had an outstanding game, got his hands to just about everything. Davies, Roberts and

various times, but showed nothing for their efforts, thanks to Brown. With Perkins in command of the

front, it would have been worth testing Martin Jones more often in

the middle. He had taken the place of Butler, who withdrew, because of

recurrent knee injury, on Friday

growing superiority and Hesforth got the fourth after intense forward pressure. Barnes converted both before Smith finished off a penalty move with Leicester's second try

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LEICESTER: I Doctson; B Evans, P W Dodge, C
R Woodward, R C Bernweif (rep i Setse), L
Cusworth, N C Youngs: Stuart Rectern, P J
Wheeler, Staphen Reditern, S R Johnson
(captain), N K Gällingham, M V Foulkes-Amold,
I R Smith, D Richards,
Retarse: R C Quitterton (London).

Barnwell has operation

Player Cup final on Saturday. He was taken to the West Middlesex was maken to the west vinitieses.

Hospital and later transferred to the
National Hospital for nervous
diseases where his condition
yesterday was described as stable.
His breathing is being assisted by a
support machine.

matter as the weather, he had an lternative career up his sleeve. For the players of today, times have changed: playing bridge or putting ico-cubes into somebody's socks are

Naive Swansea are forced to submit scrum on the centre line, from which Bishop put his team back on

counteract the expected onslaught from Pontypool's forwards. In the more practical sense, they hardly saw the ball, and as the final of the Weish Cup, sponsored by Scheppes, wore inexorably and drearlly to its inevitable conclusion, Swansea were left stranded without ever suggesting

scoring on the last day of the 15-aside rugby season on Saturday.
Glancing down the results at
breakfast you notice that Abertillery
accumulated 78 points against
Nuneaton, Nottingham 61 against
Cheltenham, Liverpool 81 against
Wilmslow, and Cardiff 60 against
Penzance-Newlyn.

There was nothing like that,
however, at Blundellsands, where
Waterloo, who are coming to the
end of a highly successful centenary
season — 32 victories, 969 points—
lost 10-6 to Gloucester, mainly
because Gloucester kicked their
penalties and Waterloo did not.

ATHLETICS

PHILADELPHIA: Men's 100m: C Lowis, 10.9acc (beet in world this year), Hammer: R Weir (GB), 243t.
LOS: ANSELES: Men's 110m burdes: T Campbel; 13.50ecc (best in world this year). FAST LORDON HALF BARKINON: 1, 11.50ecc (Ranelagh), 64min. 22scc; 2, J Goldring (Walthamstow), 67min. 2sec; 3, 3 Surridge (Walthamstow), 67min. 5ecc. Womer: 1, V Thoury Barthamstow).

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Tibury (Barchimeter),
SOUTHERN AMATEIR LEAGUE: First
Distator: Handor: 1, Comely, 111, pts; 2,
Basiley, 105; 3, Shafhasbury, 107; 4, Verlea,
101; 5, Yaoul 734, Ioswich: 1, North Londo
131; 2, Norfolk Olympiads, 126; 3, Chaimsford,
107; 4, Ipswich, 35; 2, Hercules/Mimbledon,
127; 4, Hotmicou, 127; 4, Bedford, 72, White
Harl Lame. 1, Harbury, 131; 2, Old Caystonians,
125; 3, Wolking, 102; 4, Hghysta, 82; 6,
Reading, 74, Portsmouth, 108; 4, South
London, 100; 5, Groydon, 58.
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BASKETBALL

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It was predicted all along that the ball was firmly in Swansea's court, metaphonically speaking, for they had to prepare measures to the Lions this most transfer of the Lions this most transfer or the Lions that the Lions this most transfer or the Lions that the Lions tha 10 minuts. No doupt Windsor was disappointed in his first, and prestrumably only, cup final – he is unlikely to continue at this level Weish Cup, sponsored by Scheppes, wore inexorably and drearily to its inevitable conclusion, Swansea were left stranded without ever suggesting an answer at any stage.

If it was to be a contest at all, Swansea, recognized as the best club side in the country, had to provide an alternative style it they failed to match the Pontypool eight. They

an alternative style it they failed to
match the Pontypool eight. They
could not, and the game as a contest
became monotonously one-sided
and fell away disastrously as a
spectacle. Pontypool ground Swansea into submission, winning by a
there was a curious naivety in
Swansea's play. After Peter Lewis
half, Blyth, instead of kicking deep
into the corners to relieve the
spectacle. Pontypool ground Swansea into submission, winning by a

FOR THE RECORD

DIVING
Houston: World Cup Finals: 3m springboard: G
Louganis (US), 10m platform: Louganis.
Worlder: 3m springboard: U W Hus (Chins),
10m platform: Zhou Ji Hong (Chins).

GOLF

MERRICH: World championship: Canada 3, Sweden 1; Soviet Union 1; Canchostovakia 1; Italy 4, Finland 4:

MATIONAL LEAGUE Water conference final (bost of seven): New York Intenders 7, Boston Bruins 3 (Intenders lead series 2-1).

LACROSSE IROCUOIS CUP: First Shelled University 30, GARTH OF ENGLAND LEAGUE First division: Cheedie 20, South Mancheter and Wythenshawe 5.

MODERN PENTATHLON

DARBISTAIT: West German swert: 1, 8 Driggs (US. 1,288 pbz; 2, 1 Schwarz (USSR), 1,272 3. L. Febian over), 1,252 4, H wille (W3), and R Photos (GB), 1,244. Shooting: 1, 6 Horvath (Sw6), 1,988 pbz; 2, M Rummi (W3), 1,085; 3, T Dosymbotov (USSR), 1,085. Cross-country: 1, S Sowerby (GS), 1,294 pbz; 2, L. Febian, 5,381; 3, 7 Scombathaly (Hun) 5,358. British placing: 8, M Marmford, 6,278.

RÜGBY LEAGUE

night.

With the game so static and with few workwhile movements, there was little loose possession. It was an interminable procession of lineouts and scrums. Whereas Davis was an consistently harried at scrum half for Swansta, Bishop, on the other hand, had all the time in the world. He considered no presents avent the

He considered no options except the Clubs run up points in an end-of-season romp

KOMA'S LYNRE World championehio, British quarter-final: Qualifiers: S Wigg (Cradley Heath), 15 pits; S Winner (Hackney) 12: M Taylor (Kings Lynn) 11; N Middeditch (Poole) 11; K Smith (Poole) 10; J Oven (Newcaste) 10; C Richardson (King's Lynn' 10; T Hust (Reselfina) B.

SQUASH RACKETS

TENNIS
TAMPA (Florids): Grand Prix tournament:
Cumbs-finel count; Mrist (SA) bt J Fitzgerald
(Aus) 6-2, 6-3; F Segances (Rom) bt T Cain
(US) 7-8, 6-2; M De Patner (US) bt F William
(US) 2-5, 6-4, 6-4; R Lutz (US) bt F Bushning
(US) 6-3, 6-2. Semi-finel round: Krisk bt
Segances 6-4, 4-6, 6-3; Lutz bt de Painer 64, 5-7, 6-4.
RADREC: Grand Prix tournament: Senti-finel
round: H Sundation (See) bt P Soldi (CZ) 6-1;
6-2; Y Noath (Fr) bt H Gunthardt (Seetz) 6-2, 4-6,
6-3, Finel: Noath bt Sundation 3-8, 6-9, 6-2, 6-4,

4.
ATLANTA: Women's tournement: Quarter-finel round: Mise P Striver It Miss A Leand, 6-1, 6-0; Miss W Tumbus (Aus) bt Miss A Scattle, 6-4, 6-2; Miss A White D tk Steinmetz, 6-2, 6-2; Miss K Jordan bt Miss L Forcod, 8-2, 7-5. Seni-finel round: Miss Statuer bt Miss Tumbus, 8-4, 4-5, 8-3; Miss Jordan bt Miss White, 7-5, 6-4.

VOLLEYBALL
MEADOWBANK (Edinburght: Scottist Cup
finel: Marc AITM bt Airdin, 15-4, 15-8, 15-8,
Women: Tatlord in Whitburn, 18-14, 14-18,
15-7, 15-9.

CRICKET
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when, the crowd began a slow handelap, Goldsworthy attempted a drop goal. The handelap changed to cheers, more in relief than anything.

as the ball hit the upright, bounced ideality into the hands of Taylor, who ran unopposed for the try near the posts. Lewis converted. For the last quarter Pontypool maintained their unrelenting stranglehold.

PONTYPOOL: P Lewis; G Davids, L Feuliner, L Jones, B Taylor; M Goldsworthy, D Bishop; R Windsor (rept, M Crossley), S Jones, G Price, M Brown, J Peridre, M Jones, C Huish, J Squire teamstell.

By Gordon Allan
There was some village-cricket storing on the last day of the 15-a-side rugby season on Saturday. Glancing down the results at breakfast you notice that Abertillery accumplated 78 points against Numeaton, Nottingham 61 against Cheltenham, Liverpool 81 against Wilmslow, and Cardiff 60 against Penzance-Newlyn.

There was nothing like that, however, at Blandellsands, where will be season a 22 victories, 969 points—lost 10-6 to Gloucester, mainly because Gloucester icked their penalties and Waterloo did not.

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IN BRIEF

Clear win

for Jones

threw him into a bush.

one-stroke lead over Hal Sutton and

Tom Purizer after three rouds of the \$400,000 Byron Nelson Classic in

Irving, Texas. Waskins, seeking his second successive PGB tour victory and a third in the last five weeks,

shot a three-under-par 68 for a total

FOOTBALL: A team has won

mouth's manager Don Megson shortly before the third division

game at Bradford on Saturday. Messon, asked why Best had been left out, would only comment:

"well, he's got a drink problem, hasn't he?" He added that Bourne-

mouth directors would consider the matter shortly. Kevin Dawiry, who

replaced Best, scored in Bourne-mouth's 3-2 win.

Yet despite the soft pitches around the country, Saturday, when play got under way, largely belonged to batsmen. Fowler, back with Lancashire, found Glamorgan's anack rather easier meat than Australia's. He and Hughes, who went in at No 8 in Jack Bond's day, amassed 245 for the third wicket. scrum, or high to the blind-side wing others were sent rolling diagonally into touch. It was done,

A century flowed, also, from the bat of the Hampshire's right hander, Chris Smith, another South African shortly to become an Englishman. He is, it should be noted, an opening

batsman. So, 100, is Andy Stovold. of Gloucestershire, who has never

Retiring with a record

Run-flow washed out

It was, they say, the wettest April of the day, made out of 343 for four since before W. G. Grace's time. What price a thousand runs in May? The bookmakers must be offering made an undefeated 72 when play

was bowled as the plan to stage five Cranleigh propped up Surrey's county championship matches on a innings with an undefeated 52. Sunday hackfired. Prospects for Kent's battery of seam bowlers

On the third day, Greenidge and Haynes broke a 34-year-old record. rayies of the a system of the first wicket to beat the previous best West Indies opening partnership of 239 between Stollmeyer and Rae, also against India, at Madras in 1948.

day 154 not out. Haynes was out in day 154 not out; riaynes was dut in the final five minutes of the day for 136. Greenidge did not resume yesterday, flying to see his daughter in a Barbados hospital. The Indians were hampered by the absence for all but the morning

Greenidge, playing in his 41st Test match, ended a period of six years in which he has not scored a Test century with a sure perform-ance which lasted six hours 20 minutes and included a six and 14

Saturday's scores

Greenidge, after a sleepless night on learning that his daughter had slipped into a coma, finished the

play of their captain and most penetrative bowler, Kapil Dev. He was suffering from a stiff neck and was able to bowl only five ineffective overs at the start.

WEST NOIES: First Innings
C G Greenidge retired absent
D L Haynes c Shestn b Yeshcal
W W Davis b Maden Lal
IV A Richards c Geelwad b Medan Lel
H A Gomes Libw B Maden Lal
A L Logie hit wicket b Kapil Dev
19 J Dulon not out

Total (5 wickets) ... FALL OF WICKETS: 1-296, 2-303, 3-323, 4-324, 5-334.

Washout in Colombo Colombo (Reuter) - Australia's three-week tour of Sri Lanka ended on a watery note yesterday when their final one-day game against the Sri Lankans was abandoned because of rain. The same face befell the third limited-over match on Friday when heavy rain ended a four-mouth drought Sri Lanka won the

SCRIES: 2-0. SCORES: Australie 124 for 3 (19.2 cvers) (G N Yaliop 60 not out, D W Hookee 49) v Sri Landa.

REAL TENNIS BRITISM SENIOR DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP-B Rich (Petworth) and N Wright (Centord) bt J Camidn (Learnington) and S Jury (Learnington), 6-5, 2-6, 6-2.

TENNIS

to fight

top seed, survived a lapse in concentration, a series of dubious calls and a rancous crowd on calls and a rancous crowd on Saturday to defeat the local favourite, Bill Scanlon, 6-1, 6-7, 6-3, 6-3 and reach the final of the World Championship Tennis tournament. In the other semi-final the medicary season and the med nament. In the other semi-final the No 2 seed, John McEnroe over-whelmed this fellow New Yorker, Vitas Gerulainis, 6-3, 6-2, 6-2. Lendl got into his stride quickly,

every point scored by Scanion, and every mistake by Lendl, the American held service to go acad 6-

Scanlon took advantage of his scored by Tony Myler, Adams got opponent, lapses to keep the match the fourth touchdown opponent, lapses to keep the match close with consistent serving. Lendl regained control

RUGBY LEAGUE Hull happy in the mud

By Keith Macklin Hall, the favourites, and Widnes,

of their coach, Dong Laughton, but they shocked Hull Kingston Rovers on Saturday with a typical late burst

Yesterday Hull and Leeds produced a splendid semi-final despite appalling conditions at the

Boulevard.

Hull slogged through the mud and managed against all odds to produce some exciting moves. Hull scored five tries through Wileman, the man of the match, Edmonds, Solal, Skerrett and Banks, with two goals from Crooks and Evans, Leeds never gave up the fight, and Heselwood scored a try, Conway landing the goal.

Hull Kingston Rovers suffered a demoralizing 21-10 home defeat American held service to go acad o-5. Lendl made it 6-6, but his opponent reeled off the first five points in the tie-break, which he won 7-2.

Lendl displayed his frustration by emashing some balls way out of control of the tries and fairbairn kicked a goal as Rovers looked certainties for the final. Widnes, however, took advantage of Rovers' errors and control of the tries were four times. Three of the tries were

Headingley final

The Rugby League announced last night that Headingley will stage the premiership final between Widnes and Hull on Saturday, May

Lendl has

Hugh Jones won the East London half-marathon yesterday in 64min 28sec – more than two minutes and a half clear of the second man Jim Goldring of Walthamstow. Jones took the lead after 500 yards, and Dallas (Reuter) - Ivan Lendi, the passed thro ugh five miles in 24min 30sec and 10 miles in 48min 56sec. Colin Moxon, from Hertford-shire, had to fight his way back on course after he was first misdirected and then driven at by a car three times. The driver then got out and GOLF: Lanny Wadkins birdied three of the final six holes to take a

breaking Scanlon's service to race into a 4-0 lead. The 23-year-old Czechoslovak remained in com-mand in the second set, breaking through in the third game, until he served for the set at 5-4. A disputed point at deuce - the third in as many games that went against Lendl - gave advantage to Scanlon, and the noisily partisan crown roared with delight when he mishit a forehand long to allow Scanlon to pull level.

FOOTBALL: A team has won a league championship without playing a single away game. "It's a pity we can't have any", the Nottingham prisoners' captain, Jimmy Leslie, said. He received the Nottingham Sunday League Trophy yesterday from the Forest manager, Brian Clough, who went into prison to watch their last match of the season. George Best is in trouble again after being dropped by Bournemouth's manager Don Megson With the crowd screaming at

OUATER-FINALS: I Lond (Ct) bt 8 Dentor (US) 6-4, 7-5, 8-4; W Scanlon (US) bt K Currer (SA), 2-6, 6-3, 6-2, 6-3, Semi-finals: Lond to Scanlon, 5-1, 6-7, 6-3, 6-3, McEaros (US) bt V Gendalits (US), 6-3, 6-2, 6-2

But he knoweth the way that I take: when he hath tried me. I shall come forth as gold. Job 23:10.

BIRTHS

GUIEST.—On April 8th al Cackileld Hospital to Sandra Inte Konworthy and Michael—a sea Llames Alexander), brother for Kalterine.

ROSS-RAVERI.—On April 28th at University College hospital, Losdon, to Barbora and Michael—a daughter, Lucy Los, steler for Kathryn, Laurop and Dominic.

RUBY WEDGING BARNES: JAMES. - David John to Jean, May I. 1943, at the Kings Chapet of the Savoy.

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Clean sweep from Prean puts England in last four the first time in 30 years. Johnny Leach, the former world champion,

He's already world class and must be a tremendous prospect to win the European title in Moscow next

England beat North Korea 5-1 yesterday and will now meet Sweden in the semi-finals. Prean

As England celebrated reaching won both his singles in straight the last four in the world champions in many steam event for afterwards.

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TABLE TENNIS

His clean sweep of Leach, the former world champion, paid an estatic tribute to a very special 15-year-old schoolboy.

Carl Pream's form has exceeded all expense of Gabor Gergely, 22-20, 8-21, 21-15, Zsolt Kriston, 21-16, 22-20, and Jonyer, 21-19, 23-25, 21-16.

Saturday, when he beat three Hungarians, including 15tvan Jonyer, the 1975 men's singles world champion, "I can hardly believe what I see." Leach said.

His clean sweep of the Hungarians was gained at the expense of Gabor Gergely, 22-20, 8-21, 21-15, Zsolt Kriston, 21-16, 22-20, and Jonyer, 21-19, 23-25, 21-16.

England's other wins in a 5-2 victory came from Desmond Douglas. Tanked No 7 in the world, who beat watching the crushing of his Czech believe what I see." Leach said.

His clean sweep of the world champions have dropped only one singles so far. when Kim Wan, of South Korea, beat Fan Changmao, "I cannot see any way that these Chinese can lose." Milan Orlowski said, after watching the crushing of his Czech colleagues. "It will need a miracle to stop them winning every title." to Jonyer and Gergely.

Hungary recovered to eliminate previously unbeaten Japan 3-2 yesterday and will now play China in the other men's team semi-final. China finished top of the other

minutes.

World Championship results

MER: Category One: England beat North Korus 5-1 (J Milios) for Hong Cnot 21-15, 16-21, 21-14; D Deuglas bi Chu Jong-Chol 21-15, 23-22; C Prean bi Cho Yeng-Re 21-16, 21-15; Douglas bi Hong 21-19, 21-13; Hitton tost to Cno 18-21, 19-21; Frean to Cno 18-21, 19-21; Frean to Cno 21-7, 21-18; England bi Denmark 5-0 (Douglas bi C Pedersen 21-13, 21-12; Prean bi K Kartholm 21-5, 27-18; Hillion to I Harlang 21-10, 21-12; Prean bit Pedersen 21-18, 21-12; Douglas bi Harlang 21-18, 21-10; Douglas bit Harlang 21-18, 21-10;

Catagory Two: Australia bt Wales 5-0: Netherlands bt Scotland 5-1; Netherlands bt September 5-2; September 5-4; Scotland bt Switzerland 5-2; Switzerland bt Wales 5-4 (7 Miller bt M Thomas 21-17, 21-11; S Ronald lost to A Grifiths 18-21, 15-21; T Busin bt M Thomas 21-18, 21-18; Lend Hungary Busin bt M Thomas 21-15, 19-21, 21-16; Busin bt M Thomas 21-13, 21-19; Susin bts to Griffiths 7-21, 13-21; Miller lost to N Thomas to Griffiths 7-21, 13-21; Miller lost to N Thomas 12-21, 21-19; All Polyand 14, 21-19; Busin bts to Griffiths 7-21, 13-21; Miller lost to N Thomas 12-21, 21-17, 24-22; Israel bt Scotland 5-3 IJ Bogan bt J

BADMINTON MBE's set to meet

By Richard Eaton England's great strength in doubles gives them hopes of several sets of medals in the world badminton championships which

in final

oddminton championships which start in Copenhagen today.

The most celebrated of the pairs is the defending world women's doubles partnership of Nora Perry and Jane Webster. Along with the European champions. Gillian Gilks and Gill Clark, they are seeded to reach the semi-finals, but both English pairs are likely to find the going tough against the Chinese. going tough against the Chinese, who are competing for the first time ever. Between them, their two pairs have accounted for the last two Ali-England women's doubles titles.

England's best chances lie in the mixed doubles in which the redoubtable Mrs Perry teams up with the Swede. Tomas Kinlstrom. with whom she won the All-England title. The seedings indicate that a clash of badminton's two MBEs should take place in the final, with Mrs Gilks partnered by Martin

Dew, the left-handed London University post-graduate, is likely to meet Kihlstrom twice, because he and Mike Tredgett, runners-up to Kihlstrom and Stefan Karlsson in the All-England championships, and seeded third, are scheduled to attempt a revenge over the Swedes in the semi-final round.

Meanwhile. China will have an excellent chance of dominating the singles titles in the way they did when they first entered the world team event, the Thomas Cup, last Much before the Much have the Same of year. Much, however, may depend upon Luan Jin, the No 4 seed. repeating his surprise All-England success against the top seed. Morten Frost, the history student, playing in

his home city. Liem Swie King, the former All England champion from Indonesia. and Han Jian, of China, the No. 2 seed, are also in with a chance of the title, but it is almost impossible to see any other than one of the four Chinese women players taking the

singles title. ● The Thomas Cup and Uber Cup are likely to be held every teo years with eight teams in the finals. Shuaib. Secretary of the Badminton Kuala Lumpar (AFP reports).

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First division Arsenal v Manchester U Birmingham v Brighton ... Everton v Coventry......

Nottingham Forest v Liverpool ... Sunderland v Watford

ALLIANCE PREMIER LEAGUE: Barrow v Dagerinam: Boston v Runcom: Northwich Victoria v Wealdstone: Trowbridge v Scarborough (7.0); Weymouth v Worcester; Yeovil v Stafford (7.30).
NORTHERN PREMIER LEAGUE: Morecambe v Cawastry: Witton v Methock. Presidents Cup Final: First leg: King's Lyran v Burton. Challenge Shield: Mossley v Gainsborough (7.30).

7.30). CENTRAL LEAGUE: First division: Newcastle v Manchester (2.0): Stoke v Sheffield

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Second division

eeds v Leicester..

TENNIS Feaver

struggles

to win John Feaver won his first British John reaver won his first Brush
tennis title for two years by beating
Chris Bradnam, of Middlesex the
1978 and 1979 winner in the final of
the British Home Stores hard court
tournament at Hampstead, on
Saturday.

After his 4-6, 7-6, 7-5, win.
Feaver, aged 31, the British No. 6
drove to Solihull to register his entry

By John Wilcockson
By winning the Penn Two Day
Race at Wolverhampton over the
weekend, Sid Barras, (Falcon
Cycles), confirmed his candidature
for the British Professional team
for the Milk Race later this month.
He won two of the three stages in
the 173 miles race to beat on points
his fellow professionals Ian Banbu-

Saturday.

After his 4-6. 7-6. 7-5. win.
Feaver, aged 31, the British No. 6
drove to Solihull to register his entry
for the qualifying competition of the
West Warwickshire £25.000 event.
Townstell with however, necked Torrential rain, however, washed out the first day's play at Solihull. Five matches had just gone out when the rain came and none of them had progressed beyond four

games. games.

Feaver, who had to save a match
point in the tenth game of the final
set, has been out of competition for
two months after an operation on his right leg. In that time his world ranking has slumped well below the limit required to get into the

Solihull main draw.

On Saturday's form it should not take him too long to improve it as he showed when he put in a strongish to win from 2-4 in the

strongish to win from 2-4 in the final set.

There was an even better comeback in the women's final when Amanda Brown beat Debbie Jarrett, the Wightman Cup player, 5-7, 6-3, 7-5 in two hours and three quarters after trailing 2-5 in the final set. Miss Brown, aged 17 is No 1 seed in the women's competition at seed in the women's competition at Solihull.

Swedes have high hopes

Dusseldorf (Reuter) - Sweder led by Mats Wilander, have emerged as the team to beat in the emerged as the team to beat in the \$450,000 World Team Cup. which begins here today after the withdrawal of Argentina and Czechoslovakia. Sweden are also represented by Anders Jarryd. Joakim Nystroem and Hans Simonsson.

Simonsson.

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Simonsson. The oppositin is strong. The United States squad comprises Gene and Sandy Mayer and Eliot Teltscher: France field Yannick Noah and Gilles Moreton.

TODAYS FIXTURES

Third division

Bournemouth y Doncaster Cardiff v Southend Exeter v Southend (7.30) ...

ield v Wig

Fourth division

Millwall v Newport.
Oxford United v Reading (11.0) .
Portsmouth v Orlent

Preston v Lincoln (7.30)
Sheffield United v Bristol R (7.30)
Watsall v Plymouth (7.30)
Wrexham v Chesterfield

stop them winning every title." England's women clinched fourth

The world champions have

place in their group with a 3-0 win over Austria yesterday. Lisa Bellinger, aged 16, from Dunstable, stayed in impressive form to beat Dolores Fetter, 21-11, 21-9.

Broe 21-11, 21-18; A Rosenboim lost to R Yule
17-21, 21-32; D Poisk bt K Rodger 21-23, 2117, 21-17; Bogen lost to Yule 16-21, 17-21;
18 Bogen lost to Yule 16-21, 17-21;
19 Rodger 13-21, 13-21; Poisk bt Yule 21-10, 2114; Bogen bt Rodger 8-2, 21-15; 21-14; Israel, 12-9; K With the Meier, 21-13, 21-10;
16; Wales 5-1 (Bogen bt Griffiths 21-16, 21-15;
17 Rosenboim bt M Thomas 21-18, 19-21, 21-11;
18 Polak bt N Thomas 21-14, 21-9; Bogen bt N N
Thomas 21-14, 21-17; Indie bt Scorland 5-0
Illiammer Signib th Rodger 21-18, 18-21;
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19; Polak bt Rodger 21-18, 19-21, 21-15;
19; Rodger Broeker, 21-18, 21-21;
19; Rodger Broeker, 3-1; Rodger Broeker, 3-1;
21-10, 21-17; Jenson bt England, 3-0; Rodger Broeker, 11-14, 21-16;
21-10, 21-17; Indie Broeker, 21-17; Polak bt Rodger Broeker, 11-14, 21-16; Carla and Wulsam bt Rodger 21-18, 21-12;
19; Rodger Broeker, 3-1; R

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Category Two: Poland bi Iraland, 3-1: Macabit Iraland, 3-0; Indonesia bi Iraland, 3-0 (T S Carla bit M Sheehan, 21-8, 21-7; D Wulsan bit A Leonard, 21-14, 21-16; Carla and Wulsan bit Leonard and Sheehan, 21-14, 21-16; Denmark bit Iraland, 3-1 (L. Jakobsen lost to Leonard, 19-21, 15-21; A Ramberg bit Sheehan, 21-12, 21-10; Jakobsen and Chamberg bit Leonard, 21-11, 21-15. Category Three: Cube bt Scotland, 3-1; Scotland bt Argentina, 3-0 (E Forbes bt 8 Bensenor,21-10, 21-5; C Dalrympte bt Kim Hae Ha, 21-10, 27-25; Forbes and Dalrympte bt Kim and A Tellas, 21-10, 14-21, 21-17).

CYCLING

Win for

Barras

in Penn

By John Wilcockson

his fellow professionals, Ian Banbury and Phil Bayton, with Paul

Curran an amateur, in fourth place.
The final stage on a 600 yards circuit in Wolverhampton town centre provided a nail-biting finish as all four leaders were on equal

"It was dangerous in the rain because we could have crashed at any moment" Barras said after

finishing second to Steve Joughin. It was Joughin's first win as a professional.

The first four finishes all

competed in last week's Sealing International, a race of 470 miles which proved ideal preparation.

Barras had not won a race since last

August before Saturday, when he displayed the form that has gained

im well over 100 victories in his 13

years as a professional.

When he made his move out of

the main bunch halfway through the 72-mile first stage, he had almost

four minutes to make up on Bayton Banbury and Mick Morrison, who had broken clear on the first of the

Riding confidently throughour.

sprint, when the main group was

nore than seven minutes in arrears.

Yesterday morning, Barras and his Falcon Cycles team were able to

control the second stage on a wind-swept circuit in Shropshire, until the

winning move 26 miles from the finish.

THIRD STAGE: 15 miles: 1, 8 Joughi Moducal 35min 46sec; 2, Barnes; 3 Benbury 4, K Jones (Telford); 5, Morrison; 6, Bayton FINAL: 1, Barnas 7ters Smin 23sec; 2, Barnbur 7 Thrs 5min 23sec; 3 Bayton, 7ters 5min 23sec; 4 Curran, 7ters 5min 23sec; 4, Jones 7ters 7min 28sec; 6, Davies 7ters 7min 28sec.

ISTHBBIAN LEAGUE Premier division: Bognor v Billencay; Carshalton v Hilbrini; Harrow v Woltongham; Tooting and Mitcham v Hayes. First division: Chesnam v Worthing; Cheshant v Hampton; Harlow v Waiton and Harsham; Metropolitan Police v Heritord. Second division: Barnon v Windsor and Eton; Dorking v Capton; Egham v Rainhem; Finchley v Corinthian Casuals: Narwich and Partesston v Levenerfrent: Herisham v Ebojng; Layton-Win-Win-

gate v Southalt; Uxbridge v Basildon; Ware v Tring.
ATHEMAN LEAGUE: Flackwell Heath v Whyteleafe: Harringsy v Craitont St Peter; Newbury v Grays; Rednill v Hoddesdon; Hulstin Minors v Burnham. Cup: Seral-final replay: Harrifield v Banstead.
WESTERN LEAGUE (11.0): Premier division: Clandown v Famourth (2.0); Keynsham v Weitington: Phymouth v Steptom Mailet (3.0); Weston-Super-Mare v Clevedon.
DEVON CUP PIAAL: Exmouth v Dawlish SORERSET PREMIER CUP FINAL: First leg: Taussion v Fronte.

CRICKET

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COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP (11.0 to 5.30 or 6.0 unless stated)
DERBY: Derbyshire v Gloucestershire.
OLD TRAFFORD: Lancashire v Glemorgan (11.0 to 6.30).
LECESTER: Leicastershire v Hampshire.
LORD'S: Middlessex v Essex (11.0 to 6.30).
TRENT SRIDGE: Nottinghemshire v Someraet.
THE OVAL: Surrey v Kent.
EDGBASTON: Warwickshire v Northamptonshire (11.0 to 8.30).
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Today's television and radio programmes

BBC 1 5.00 Cestax AM. News headlines. sport, weather an treffic reports. Available to viewers whose television set does not

have teletext facility. 6.30 Breakfast Time with Frank Bough and Selina Scott. News at 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00 and 8.30 with headlines on the quarter hour; regional news traffic and weather at 6.45, 7.15 7.45 and 8.15; keep fil between 6.45 and 7.00; Barry Cryer reviews the morning papers at 7.32 and 8.32. The juest is Julie Walters

9.10 Chigley, A See-Saw programme for the very young 9.25 You and Me. For the under fives 9.40 Cartoon: Daffy Duck 10.05 The Wonderful World of Disney. The Nashville Coyote 10.50 Film: The Early Bird (1965) starring Norman Wisdom as a milkman who creates havoc when his company is threatened by a take-over bid. Directed by Robert Archer 12.27 Weather.

12.30 Grandstand introduced by David Coleman. The line-up is: 12.35 Football focus 1.00 News summary: 1.05 Highlights of the World Ice Hockey Championship from Munich; International Show Jumping: The Kerrygold Cup from Hickstead at 1.05, 2.40, 3.20 and 3.56; Horse Racing from Haydock Park at 2.00 (The Darwen Stakes), 2.30 (The Hollows Wood Steeplechase) and 3.10 (The Tia Maria Handicap Hurdle); the Final of the Emba World Professional Snocker Championship from Sheffield at 2.05, 2.40, 3.20 and 3.55, 4.40 Final Score. 5.10 Cartoon: Mickey and Donald 5.30 Superstore. Mike Read

with a selection of music heard in the recent series of Saturday Superstore. 6.10 News. 6.20 Sports report. 6.25 Comedy Classic: Some Mother's Do 'Ave 'Em starring Michael Crawford and Michall Dotrice. The first of a series of repeats featuring Crawford as Frank Spencer as the walking disaster, in this episode he and his wife have to move house because the council decree that it is not a fit place to live in despite Frank's attempts at do-it-yourself.

7.00 Film: Rooster Cogburn (1975) staming John Wayne and Kathanne Hepbum. An aging marshall is assisted by a bible punching lady in his efforts to track down the gang that murdered her father. Directed by Stuart Miller. 8.45 Three of a Kind, Lenny Henry

Tracey Ullman and David Copperfield return with a Bank Holiday special of one-liners, sketches and hilarlous sendups. Their music guest is singer, Phil Collins. 9.20 News

9.35 A Night on the Town. A musical spectacular starring Ann Reinking who starred in the film version of Annie, and Lewis Collins, one of ITV's. Professionals. They play a commercial art director and a chotographer who take a nostalgic journey through the include music by Irving Berlin, Noel Coward, George Gershwin and Cole Porter

11.15 Film 83 presented by Barry Norman, Mr Norman will be examining the current state of the British film industry as well as reviewing Educating Rita, starring Michael Caine and Julia Walters, and Ascendancy, a British Film Institute production starring Julie Covington. In addition Venty Lambert gives her first interview following her appointment as director of production for Thorn EMI Films.

11.43 News headlines \$1.45 Phil Silvers as Sergeant 12.10 Westher

TV-am

6.00 Daybreak followed at 6.30 with Good Morning British with Nick Owen and Lynda Berry. News at 6,00, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 6.30 and 9.00; morning paper review at 6.23 and 8.33; television news at 750; celebrity interview at 8.20; good food guide at 9.05; Closedown at 9.15.

CITY/LONDON

9.30 Sesame Street. Learning de fun with the Mupp 10.30 Cartoon Time: The King and Joe; 10.40 Film: Ivanh (1952) starring Robert Taylor and Elizabeth Taylor. A spectacular version of Walter Scott's adventure story with Robert Taylor at his swashbucking best as Wilfred of Ivenhoe lighting to restore Richard the Lionheart to the throne of England. Directed by Richard Thorpe.

12.30 Bank Holldsy Sport presented by Dickle Davies. The line-up is 12.36 Football preview with Jim Rosenthal and Jimmy Greaves; 12.45 Cricket. The latest scores in the first county Championship matches of the season; 1.00 News; 1.05 Gymnastics from Wembley. Highlights of the Daily Mirror's Champions-All competition; 2.00 Lunchtime scores fron the eight County Championship cricket matches; 2.10 The ITV Six: the 2.15, 2.45 and 3.15 at Doncaster, presented by Derek Thompson and the 2.30, 3.00 and 3.30 from Kempton with Brough Scott.

3.45 Half-time football scores and reports, 3.55 lcs Hockey. Highlights of the final of the Heineken British Championship bet Dundee Rockets and Durham Wasps at Streatham. 4.40 Results and round-up. 5.05 News.

5.10 Film: The Return of the Beverly Hillibilias (1981). A made-for-television movie based on the successful small screen series about a family of hill dwellers who suddenly come into a fortune. In this film Granny's panacea for all life comes under scrutiny as a possible energy substitute. Directed by Robert Leeds. 6.35 Crossroads. Glanda Banks, now happily pregnant, returns

7.00 Give Us a Clue. Celebrity mime game chaired by Michael Aspel (r).

7.30 Coronation Street. Fred Gee takes the barmaids, Bet and Betty, for a picnic in the country. 8.00 Film: Jacqr ine Bouvier

Kennedy (1981) starring Jacivn Smith, James Franciscus and Rod Taylor. A of the life of the wife of President Kennedy and Aristotle Onassis. The story begins when she is aged five and ends with the esassination of her first husband. The director is

10.45 News. 10.10 Brahms Plus One. The third of 11.00 The Making of a Local Here — with a Little Help from his Friends. A documentary about the making of one of the more successful firms of this year, starring Burt Langaster as the Taxas oil mogul pitting his wits against canny Scots. Written and directed by Alistair Moffat. 12.00 Film: Penic (1978) starring 11.05 News headlines 11.10 International Show Jumping.

Julie Neesen. A chilling short about a young woman who gives a lift in her car to a rather strange old woman. Feeling iff at ease the young woman persuades the old lady to ive but when she has gone the driver realises the mystery woman has left her handbag in the car. Directed by James

12.25 Close with Sian Phillips reading a poem by Robert Browning.

Princess Alice, Duchess of

6.05 Open University: Complex

11.00 Play School. For the under

fives 11.25 Closedown Film: Mad About Music*

Closedown

BBC 2

Human Ecosystems: 16.30 Introduction to Sociology 8.55 Maths: Area Games 7.20 Deer Farming 7.45 More Than Meets the Eye 8.10 Closerteum

(1938) starring Deanna Durbin.
Comedy about a young girl at a finishing school in
Switzerland who, to impress her friends, invents an

imaginary father. Confusion reigns when her glamorous

ther arrives fro

by Edward Ludwig.

5.30 World Snooker. David Vine

ollywood. Directed by

Norman Taurog. 3.55 Film: That Certain Age" (1938)

starring Deanna Durbin and Melvyn Douglas, Romantic comedy about the naive

daughter of a newspaper publisher who falls in love with

a war correspondent. Directed

introduces live coverage of the third session in the final of The

Embassy World Professional Championship.

on his series about turniture and ornament restoration John Fitzmaurice Milks discusses

gradually coming to terms with his disability and after

mastering crutches and a wheelchair becomes mobile.

But his popularity at his determination brings him into confrontation with the school bully. Starring Adem Garnett

orong snower. The concluding frames in the final of the World championship plus the presentation of the 230,000 prize to the winner and the Exhaust control of the control

7.15 News summary with subtitles

and the Embassy troohy

Remembers. Princess Alica talks for the first time on

television about her life as a member of the Royal Family. Recorded at Kensington

the 150th anniversary of the composer's birth. Members of

the Gabrieli String Quartet play his chamber music. Tonight

features his Cello and Plano Sonata in F Major and the

Highlights of the weekend's Hickstead meeting

the deciding frames in the final. Introduced by David Vine

Transmission Networks, Ends

NB: Programmes following the anooker transmission at

7,20 subject to variation

Vicrofossiles 12.40 Data

11.35 World Snooker, Highlights of

1882 Sonata for Viola and

Piano in E Flat

12.10 Open University:

9.30 Russell Harty: A Princess

7.20 World Snooker. The

6.05 Collecting Now: Care and Repair. In the third programme of his series about furniture

6.25 I Can Jump Puddles. Part two of the nine-episode Australian drama based on the autobiographical novels of Alan Marshell. Alan Is

Metals (r)

Episode four of the 12-part series VIETNAM (Channel 4, 9,00pm) is not the sort of fare usually associated with Bank Holiday viewing, which comes as a welcome relief. LBJ Goes to War examines the reasons that led to President Johnson's escalation of his predecessor's firmited commitment policy to one of full-scale war. President Diem's assessination in 1963, followed three weeks later by President Kennedy's death, was the beginning of the end for South Vietnam. In the 18 months following the two deaths, there were stx changes of government with the resultant instability taken advantage of by the communists of North

Vietnam. Their more frequent raids

were countered with more ground

involvement by the military "advisers" of the United States

Then came the infamous Gulf of Tonkin incident which precipitated

CHANNEL 4

5.00 As Good As New, Mike Smith continues with his furniture

and fittings renovation series with pictures and frames as

his subjects. This afternoon he flustrates how old picture

frames can be out to good use

by cutting down; and how to deal with repairs to mouding and gilding, cutting glass and mirrors as well as cleaning

5.30 Loose Talk Presented by Staye Taylor. A pot-pourri of

live entertainment, iconoclasm, gossip and

Walters, star of the film

plece swing band

Imogene Coca

8.00 Henry Cooper's Golden Belt. The first quarter final in the Boys' Club's boxing

version of Educating Rita. Music is provided by the Chevalier Brothers, a five-

Rowan and Martin's Double

Sananas. The famous 'Laugh

in' couple with a special tribute to the best of music hall.

Among those appearing in this variety spectacular are Senor Wences, the Two Ritz Brothers, Sid Caesar and

tournament takes place at the Downside Settlement,

Bermondsey, a club that boasted Henry's manager and

his trainer as members - a long time ago. Battling it out for a place in the semifinal are

South London and Cardiff. As

always, Henry will be talking to

the lads in the dressing rooms and giving them tips and

talking to their parents at the ringside. The commentator is

The fourth part of the 12-part programme series tracing the

history of Vietnam's turmoil.

involvement in the North versus South conflict after the

9.00 Vietnam: LBJ Goes to War.

Tonight the programme

examines how the United States escalated their

notorious Gulf of Tonkin

run-down Boston hospita

break the news to an

.00 The Eleventh Hour: In the

using the technique of tableaux to illustrate four

12,30 Closedown

centuries of British history

produced film made in 1978 by

the award winning Phil Mulloy,

incident in which, it was

Dave Brenne

interviews. Appearing in this edition are guest presenter, singer Geotf Dean, talking to

singer Geori Death, talking to carboonist Ray Lowry, who will give his review of the carboons that appeared in the previous week's press and Julie

CHOICE the all-out offensive by the United States. The programme examines the roles played by Johnson's advisers at the time, notably McGeorge Bundy and George Ball, the latter the first senior official to resign over Johnson's Vietnam Some of the tricks of the film-

making trade are revealed in a brisk and entertaining documentary THE MAKING OF A LOCAL HERO (ITV. 11.00pm) Local Hero was written and disappeared when the realities of directed by Bill Forsyth and opened to critical acclaim earlier this year.
Burt Lancaster plays the lead role as Happer, the head of a Houston-based oil company that wants to buy a bay in Scotland - irrespective of the local's wishes. The documentary end, Derek Jacobi stars as Ruskin with Bridget McCann as his wife, follows the crew from day one of filming in Houston with the director.

Radio 4

6.00 News Briefing. 6.10 The Lark Ascending. Vaughan

Williams; record.
6.25 Shipping Forecast.
6.30 Today, including: 6.45° Prayer for the Day, 6.55, 7.55 Weather.
7.00, 8.00 Today News. 7.25°, 8.25° Sport. 7.30, 8.30 News.
Headlines. 7.45° Thought for the Day.

Day.

8.35 The Week On 4. A preview.
8.43 The Brazilian Cat by Conan Doyle, in two parts (1).
8.57 Weather; Travel.
9.00 News.
9.05 Start The Week With Richard Baker, His guests are Joanna Lundey, Maria Altikan, Alan Whicker and the editor of the Observer Donald Treiford.

Observer, Donald Trelford.

10.00 Naws.
10.02 Money Box.
10.03 Morning Story: "Master Rigby" by Mary Kalugerovich.
10.45 Dally Service from St George's Church, Brandon Hill, Bristol.
11.00 News; Travel.
11.03 Down Your Way visits Chester-le-Street. County Durham.
11.48 Poetry Plaese!
12.00 Naws.

11.48 Poetry Please!
12.00 News.
12.02 You And Yours.
12.27 Just A Minute.
12.55 Weather, Travel; Programme News.
1.00 The World At One: News.
1.40 The Archers.
1.55 Shipping Forecast.
2.00 News.
2.02 Woman's Hour.
3.00 News.
3.02 Afternoon Theatre. "When We Are Merriad" by J. B. Priestley.
4.30 Just The Job (6) The Telephonist.

explaining their actions. What emerges is a portrait of a skilled team working in unison under the direction of a self-deprecating Scot ith a knack of getting the best out of everybody.

Actress Elizabeth Morgan not only appears in DEAR COUNTESS (Radio 4 8.00pm) but also wrote this play that traces the blighted married life of John Ruskin. His wife was Euphemia Chaimers Gray and her initial love for her husband gradually being married to a man who,

4.40 Story Time: "The Russian Interpreter" by Michael Frayn, abridged in 10 parts.
5.00 PM. News Magazine.
5.50 Shipping forecast,
5.55 Weather: Programme News.
6.00 Report

6.00 The Stx O'Clock News; Financial Report,
6.30 I'm Sorry, I Haven't A Clue.
7.00 News.
7.05 The Archers.
7.20 Merseyrama: Humour and music of Liverpool.
8.00 The Monday Play. "Dear Countess" by Elizabeth Morgan.
9.30 Kaleidoecopa, Arts magazine,
9.59 Weather.
10.00 The World Topicht News

9.59 Weather. 10.00 The World Tonight: News. 10.30 Science Now. 11.00 A Book At Bedtime; "The 11.15 A Short Voyage Upriver with Jonathan Haban in Fowey, Comwall.

12.00 News; Weather. 12.15 Shipping Forecast; Inshore Forecast. Forecast.
ENGLAND: VHF as above except 6.25-5.30am Weather; Travel. 1.55-2.00pm Listening Corner, 5.50-5.56 PM (continued). 11.30-12.10am Open University: 11.30 (Music Interlude); 11.50 Children's Questioning Strategies.

Radio 3

6.55 Weather.
7.00 News.
7.05 Morning Concert. Poulenc,
Holst, Schubert, Britten;
records. The Poulenc is the Trio for oboe, bassoon and piano. The Holst is the Concerto for two violins and orchestra; the

8.05 News. 8.05 Morning Concert (continued) Boieldieu, Mozert, Heydn; Boieldieu, Mozart, Haydn; records. The Mozart is the Plano Concerto No 24 in C minor, played by Calenda played by Clifford Curzon and the LSO.

Britten is his Matinées

the LSO.

9.00 News.

9.05 This Week's Composer.
Brahms; records. Includes the Serenade No 1 in D, Dp 11, and Der Kuss: in der Ferne, Op 19, Nos 1 and 3.

10.00 Percy Granger Songs.

10.40 A Swodiah Serenade.

11.20 Music For Two Pianos Mozart arr. Busoni, Brahms, Mozart.

12.10 Philadelphila Orchestra. Concert from last year's Proms. Part 1: Barber, Schumann.

1.00 News.

1.05 News.
1.05 Concert. Part 2: Mahler, Ravel.
1.45 Gregg Nestor. Guihar recital:
Ponce, Berkeley, Albantz arr.
John Williams, Stephen
Dodgson, Gershwin arr. Nestor.
2.15 Plano Music by Rachmaninov.
Played by John Barstow. The
works include the Prefude in C

sharp minor, and the Preludes in G G sharp minor, in B minor, in F sharp minor, in D major, and G minor.
3.00 New Records. Greig, Hindemith.
Dvorzk, Liszt, d'Indy; records.

4.55 News. 5.56 European Folk Songs. Bartok, 6.30 Music For Organ, Percy Whitiock.
7.00 Schubert. Chamber music.
8.00 City of Birmingham Symphony Orchestra direct from the New Hall, Warwick University Arts Centre. Concert of Sibellus Symphonies (Part 1) We hear

Centre. Concert of Sibellus symphonies (Part 1). We hear the Symphony No 5 and the Symphony No 7.

8.55 Hilarious Procession. Selection of varse by Hilarie Belloc.

9.15 Concert. Part 2. We hear the Symphony No 5.

19.00 The Rope and the Cactus. Discovering Grazia Deledda (1871-1836), the Sardinian novelist. Written and presented by Norman Thomas di Giovanni. The reader is Rosemany Leach, and we hear the views of Italian critics and writers.

critics and writers.

10.45 Jazz in Britain. Gordon Beck Big Band, 11.15 News.

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Radio 2

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5.0 Ray Moore. 8.05 Terry Wogan.
10.00 Bob Monkhouse Open Comedy
Classic. 11.30 Andre Previn - Man of
Music. 1.0 Paul Burnett presents
Sounds of the 70's including 2.2 Sports
Desk. 2.30 Ed Stawart, including 2.45,
3.2 Sports Desk 3.10 - Racing from
Haydock Park. 4.9 David Hamilton,
including 4.2, 5.30 Sports Desk. 6.0 A
Star is Torn (first of two programmes).
Women singers who were destroyed by
their fame and fortune, including 6.45
Sport and Classified Results (mt only).
7.0 John Durn says Be My Guest. 7.30
Alan Dell with Darice Band Days and
Big Band Era. 8.45 Humphrey Littleton
with the Best of Jazz. 9.30 Star Sound.
9.57 Sports Desk. 10.00 The Monday
Movie Quiz. 10.30 Stuart Hall. 1.0
Gloria Humiltond with Two's Best. 2.0S.0 Patrick Lunt presents You and the
Night and the Music.

Radio 1 S.0 Adrian John. 7.0 Mike Read. 3.0 Simon Bates. 11.30 Mike Smith. including 12.30 Newsbeat. 1.0 Tracey and Co. Tracey Ullman and guests. 2.0 Steve Wright. 4.30 Peter Powel including 5.30 Newsbeat. 7.0 Platform 9.3.0 David Jensen. 10.0 John Peel. 12.00 Close. VHF RADIOS 1 AND 2: 5.00am With Radio 2. 1.0pm With Radio 2. 1.0pm With Radio 1. 12.00-5.00am With Radio 2.

World Service

8.00 Newsdest, 6.30 Beter's Hall Dozen, 7.00 World News. 7.09 Twenty-Four Hours:News Summary, 7.30 Pleasures, 7.50 Recording of the Week, 8.00 World News, 8.06 Reflections, 8.15 Peoblet Croice, 8.30 Anything Goes, 9.00 World News, 8.08 Reflections, 9.15 Peoblet Croice, 8.30 Anything Goes, 9.00 World News, 9.09 Review of the British Press, 9.15 Waveguida, 8.25 Good Books, 8.40 Lock, Aheed, 9.45 Music Now, 10.15 The Brotherhood of Brass, 11.00 World News, 11.00 Radio Newsreel, 12.15pm Brain of British, 12.45 Sports Roundup, 1.00 World News, 11.00 Radio Newsreel, 12.15pm Brain of British, 12.45 Sports Roundup, 1.00 World News, 1.09 Twenty-Four Hours: News Summary, 1.30 Courty Style, 1.45 Thirry Minute Theaths, 2.15 Rivers of the World, 2.30 Short Newsreel, 3.15 Outlook, 4.00 World News, 4.09 Commentary, 4.15 The Instruments of Jazz, 8.00 World News, 8.09 Twenty-Four Hours: News Summary, 8.30 Sports International, 9.00 Network UK, 9.15 Ward's New, 9.00 Crigors, 18.00 World News, 8.09 Twenty-Four Hours: New Summary, 8.30 Sports International, 9.00 Network UK, 9.15 Ward's New, 2.30 Crigors, 18.00 World News, 11.09 Commentary, 11.15 Classical Record Review, 11.30 Brain of British 1983, 12.00 World News, 11.09 Commentary, 11.15 Classical Record Review, 11.30 Brain of British 1983, 12.00 World News, 11.09 World News, 2.00 Review of the British Press, 2.15 Network UK, 2.30 Sports International, 3.00 World News, 2.00 Review of the British Press, 2.15 Network UK, 2.30 Sports International, 3.00 World News, 2.00 Review of the British Press, 2.15 Network UK, 2.30 Sports International, 3.00 World News, 2.00 Review of the British Press, 2.15 Network UK, 2.30 Sports International, 3.00 World News, 2.00 Review of the British Press, 2.15 Network UK, 2.30 Sports International, 3.00 World News, 2.00 Review of the British Press, 2.15 Network UK, 2.30 Sports International, 3.00 World News, 2.00 Review of the British Press, 2.15 Network UK, 2.30 Sports International, 3.00 World News, 2.00 Review of the British Press, 2. World Service

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REGIONAL TELEVISION VARIATIONS

BBC 1

Wales 6.20 pm-6.25 Wales today.
12.10am-12.15 News and weather.
Scotland 6.20pm-6.25 Scotlish News.
12.10am-12.15 News and weather.
Northern Ireland 6.20pm-6.25 Northern Ireland News. 12.10am-12.15 News and weather. England 6.20pm-6.25 Regional News and sport (South-west only: Spotlight). 12.15em Close, Wales 6.20pm-6.25 Wales Today. 12.10am-12.15 News headlines and weather. Scotland 6.20pm-6.25 Scotlish news.
12.10am-12.15 News summary and weather. Northern Ireland 8.20pm-6.25 Northern Ireland news. 12.10am-12.15 News headlines and weather. England

News headlines and weather. England 6.20pm-6.25 Regional news and sport (South-west only: Spotlight).

claimed, the USS Maddox was attacked twice by the North Starts 2.10pm Cel Cocos. 2.25 Starts 2.10pm Cel Cocos. 2.25
Bil/interlude. 2.35 Rhapsody in Bitue.
4.50 CLWB S4C. 4.55 Pis-Pals. 5.00
Rihwedabaw. 5.30 Chips comic. 6.00
Square Pegs. 6.30 Get Smart. 6.55 Gair
yn ei Bryd. 7.00 Newyddion seith. 7.10
Sår. 7.40 Pawb yn ei fro. 8.10 Y Byd ar
bedwar. 8.40 Gwyl Ffilmiau Geltaldd
1983. 9.35 Bouquet of Barbed Wire.
18.30 Film: The Big Clock* (Charles
Laughton) Publisher murders his
mistress, and sends a journalist to find
the key witness. 12.05am Bedmirton.
1.00 Gair yn ei Bryd. 1.05 Closedown. day in the life of the staff of the Tonight Dr Cavanero has to overwrought couple that their child is going to be born with Down's Syndrome. An over-worked and tired Dr White nearly kills a patient by accidentally writing a lethal prescription while a little light relief is afforded by the Curlous love affair between Dr Wayne Fiscus and Dr Cathy Martin

TYNE TEES As London except: 6.30 pm-7.00 Torville and Dean Helsinki Replay, 12.00 Bolden's Witness. 12.05 am Closedown. CHANNEL'

As London except: Starts 12.30 pm Bank Holiday Sport. 5.10 Film: Beach Patrol, Undercover policewoman flees from the Melfa. 6.30-7.00 Emmerdale Farm. 12.00 Closedown.

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Pavement and field: Women's bastions on the bomb



Women for defence: Lady Olga Maitland (second from left) and her supporters with their petition in London yesterday. (Photograph: John Voos).

Lady Olga Maitland's anti-informed Lady Olga Maitland, a 24-hour vigil outside the unilateral disarmament group, the founder of Women for embassy seeking a halt in the Bomen and Families for Defence, that the embassy was deployment of Soviet SS20 Defence, held its first public closed for the day and did not missiles.

meeting yesterday (report below) accept petitions.

while women at the Greenham

Lady Olga left the petition in this work.

About 150 people braved the en fitter. Square, London, yesterday to sing "Land of Hope and Glory" and argue the case for an effective nuclear deterrent linter. ked to multilateral disarmament negotiations, in the first public

Earlier a 13,000-signature politely but firmly rejected by

intercom at the embassy gates

while women at the Greenham Lady Olga left the petition in Common peace camp continued its cardboard box at the gates, their protest against the siting of with some tulips, but then had cruise missiles in Britain (report to take it away after the police received a telephone call from the embessy complaining about

> Lady Olga, who then took the petition to Trafalgar Square, said: "It shows how intransigent the Russians are in their willingness to talk.

"They will not get away with gathering organized by Women and Families for Defence, Nicholas Timmins writes.

Table 1 men and women of this country that Mr Andropov in the that Mr Andropov in the Kremlin will receive this petition by post". The embassy petition calling on the Soviet ition by post". The embassy Union to respond positively and voice said that an appointment nrgently to the West's proposals could always be made for an the turnout, which she put at for missile reductions was interview. Lady Olga said she 1,000 a least. The idea, she said, was considering that.

Back in Trafalgar Square, the thin ranks of supporters heard a number of Conservative candidates and MPs, the actress Dora Bryan and Admiral Sir John Roxborough, a former head of the Nato and Polaris submarine fleets.

Sir John quoted Lenin on peace meaning "communist world control" and asked of the Campaign for Nuclear Disarma ment: "I wonder if they really understand what peace means when it is on the lips of the

Lady Olga said afterwards that she was "delighted" with had not been to hold a rally but Officely but turnly rejected by

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She was watched delivering simply to report back on the
the petition by a small group of delivery of the petition to
the petition to young Liberals who are holding supporters.



Women for peace: Lunch 'al fresco' at Greenham. (Photograph: Bill Warhurst).

"This may appear a very silly question", I ventured, twisting the toes of my wellingtons self-consciously in the Greenham Common mud, "But why are there are more in the research of the control of the c there no men in the peace camp?" Alan Hamilton writes. Ioma threw up her bands in a

gesture of exasperated despair.

Oh God", she mouned, rolling her eyes heavenwards, "not that old one again. Look, if you really want to know, I'll have to go into feminism, and sex stereotyping, and role-playing, and i'll take half an hour, and you won't write any of it down because you men just want it all

Jane came to the rescue. Just Jane came to the rescue, Just
Jane and just loma. The sisters
are shy about surnames; too
much self-identity destroys
group consciousness. "It has to
do with women leaving home to
assert themselves for peace. This group is about raising women's consciousness to make them aware they can stop war. We are 52 per cent of the population."

But I thought, I said, it was about preventing the basing of cruise missiles in this sweet corner of Berkshire.

Oh yes, we must never forget our main purpose. We have to believe cruise will still not come, and we certainly intend to stay here even if its does. The camp will still have been of enormous value in airing the issue so

voters of Newbury wish they would. For events like the women have become, inevitably, joining of hands round the nine- a menagerie. "People stop their mile perimeter fence, Greenham cars, get themselves photo-can still draw thousands. graphed by the benders and Between times, a hard core of

about 30 women still maintain

an occasional act of protest. The other day they pulled off a wizard prank when, at 6.31 in the morning just as the moon was full, they sealed off the base for nearly an hour by the simple expedient of putting the strongest bicycle locks they could find on each of the 11 oates.

Having tried and failed with a hacksaw blade, the United States Air Force had to bulldoze the main gate off its hinges to allow the early shift of civilian

workers inside the wire, "We locked them inside their own monster for a while". Bee said gleefully. "We are trying to show that a nuclear society can turn into a police society." Inside the gate, a vanload of the police society stamped its feet in boredom inside the vehicle, devoutly wishing to return to the police canteen. They did not come too near the women at any stage of the prank.
A group of

A group of sightseeing Danish students turned up and were drawa into discussion round the camp fire where a blackened teapot was singing with the aid of a packet of Sainsbury's firelighters.

"It is much more primitive girl said, slightly aghast at the scattered rubbish, the chemical The Greenham Common peace women, like the Bomb, will not go away however much the predominantly Conservative scattered rubbish, the chemical lavatories hidden in the bushes, the washing hanging on trees and the bales of straw for seating.

The Greenham Common drive away again", Tricia complained. But they suffer their vigil at the main gate, little direct abuse, even when sheltering from the elements in they go shopping in Newbury. their "benders" — tents of "But people do give you the

look, and will walk to the other side of the pavement", Sarah said. "In the shops, they will put the change down on the counter rather than put it in your hand. And there are only two pubs in Newbury that will let us in."

That is not strictly correct. We took Tricia in her muddy wellingtons and hitch-hiker's bedroll into the Swan Inn. an oak-beamed hostelry of welldressed clientele, where an eyelid or two was batted but where she was served without

But Newbury would, on the whole, rather they folded their tents and slipped away. The postman still delivers them letters of support from all over the world, which they keep in an old refrigerator by the camp fire, but the district council long ago stopped collecting their rubbish and any visitor is liable to be asked to take a sack of garbage to the public tip.

Newbury District Council has so far refrained from enforcing the legal powers it has obtained to evict the women. An injunc-tion restraining 21 of them from camping on council land has merely meant that those involved have moved their "benders" a few yards to the west on a gravel patch by the roadside, which is owned by the Department of Transport.

The remainder have pitched their tents defiantly on Newbury Council land.

rithout friends. Next Saturday Berkshire County Council will debate a motion from Mr Alan Furley, a Labour councillor, which calls for the women's right to protest without harassment at the camp gates. Berkshire being a hang council, the outcome is far from certain, but the wamen fear the motion

Letter from Moscow

Russian-made 'bubbly' for the working man

"We owe it all to our very own Prince Golitsyn," the champagne factory manager pagne and drink to the memory of the Prince, who in the eighteenth century had had the foresight to lay the foundations of Russian viniculture on his landed estates in the Crimea.

Even through a slight champagne-induced haze, the rough-bewn and jovial factory manager did not look like a man who could claim kinship with one of Russia's oldest aristoratic families. Nor could he, as it turned out, since (like Stalin) he was the son of a poor family from Georgia. Just to be on the safe side we drank toasts to Stalin as well. On of the most striking

paradoxes of Soviet life is that champagne is the drink of the working man. Most Russian men have vodka in their veins, and they drink quan-tities of watery beer in rather sad and sordid dive bars. But go into any restaurant in Moscow, or even in a provincial town, and you will find tables laden with shampans-koe, drunk by both men and women. Where they get the money from is a mystery. At £6 a bottle in shops, and more in restaurants, Soviet champagne is not cheap (the average monthly wage is about £150).

Yet vast quantities are produced, and consumed. There has been a deliberate government policy to make it a symbol of privilege available to the masses.

Shampanskoe is drunk at weddings birthdays on numerous public holidays. when friends come to visit, to mark arrivals and departures. or for no reason at all. It has a high alcolol content, and is really powerful when drunk with vodka (as it often is).

Out at the "Sixty years of the USSR champagne factory" the huge vats of champagne bubble quietly away before being bottled and labbeled on an assembly line where most of the employees are women. In the cool, tall rooms where the scientifically controlled machinery hums to itself there are no human beings at all. just computers channelling the right mix of wine basis, sugar and gas - the process known

containers produce 100 lities of vinamaterial an hour for said. We raised our glasses of filtering and bottling it clear, sparkling Soviet chame-emerges as dry, senti-dry sweet or brut champagne which makes a satisfactory fountain when the (imported plastic cork pops out.

It is tempting to draw a parellel with the speakling factory next door which produces the Soviet version of Pepsi-Cola and Fants (the fizzy orange drink). Like the champagne factory, the soft drinks bottling plant is set in a raw industrial estate on the outsides of Moscous outskirts of Moscow, and was completed in time to thest the extra demand generated by the Moscow Olympic Games three years ago.

The Russians are keen to point out that their cham-pagnes are not just sparkling wines, however. "Our cham pagnes are known all over the world as the very best," the factory manager said proudly. "Even in France."

Some of the wine used to make Soviet champagne is imported from Argentina, although the Russians deny this. They prefer to emphasize the use of good white wine from Moldavia, Georgia an the Caucasus, brought up to Moscow by the larry and

In the southern republics, some champagne is still made by the traditional "bonte method," but the "reservoir or vat process is gradually taking over. The giant Sixueth Anniversary" factory is part of this process: produces 20 million bontes of very drinkable champagne a year, which makes it the largest champage factory in

France and West Germany have expressed an interest in buying the technology devel-oped by the Russians for mass production of champagne. "

At present Russia occup third place behind them in the league of world champagne production, but the current five-year plan target of 300m bottles a year ought to pan the Soviet Union comfortably in first place within the next two

What Prince Golitsys would have thought of it is quite another matter.

Richard Owen

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Today's events

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New exhibitions Aberdeen Streets: Prints Aberdeen by Jim Furneaux, Bill Baxter, Don Kelman and Willie Watson, Fraserburgh Library, Grampian: Mon to Fri 9.30 to 7. 5: (from today until May 31).

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services: (until May 15). Last chance to see Mount McKinley Portrait: Photographs of Alaska by Bradford Washburn, The Octagon, Milsom Street, Bath; Mon to Sat 10 to 4.45 (ends today).

Talks, lectures Life at a Microscopic Level, by T. Bunyan, Royal Scottish

5 Brings back some late game

6 Barker joins quiet ceremony (4).

S Commonly drunk - lost head in

this game of chance (5).

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22 US writer changed tea hour (7)

25 Drinks to Eliot, initially (4).

26 Cut pegs when climbing (4).

23 Result of Wimbledon seeding?

16 Silk fabric used in filling

14 Ponderous description

Pony from the isle, perhaps up

perhaps (9).

porth (7).

18 Hill-dwellers

piant (9).

perhaps (7).

20 Document

9 Fierce doctor (4).

The Times Crossword Puzzle No 16,118

Concert by City of Birmingham Symphony Orchestra, The Hall, University of Warwick Arts Centre Coventry, 8.

Organ recital by Timothy Hone Coventry Cathedral, 1.05. Bromsgrove Festival: Young Musicians Platform - finalists concert, North Worcestershire College, So grove, 7.30. Southside Hall, Broms

General

Second Edinburgh Brass Rubbing Festival, Canongate Tolbooth, Edinburgh; Mon to Sat 10 to 5 (from today until May 14). Air Display: Formation aerobatics, parachute and ballooning displays, Old Warden Aerodrome, wade, Bedfordshire, from 2 Biggleswade, Bedfordshire, from 2.
Dover Castle Pageant and
Maritime Festival, Connaught Park,

Dover, all day, parade at 11. Popular Music and Theare, Third Eye Centre, 350 Sauchiehall Street, Glasgow, 7.30. Mayfest: International Festival of

Garden Show, Lilford Park, nr Oundle, Northamptonshire, 10 to 5. The Bell Tower of St Paul' Cathedral open to the public, tour of the ringing chamber and belifrey 11 to 5.

Spring fair: stalls, donkey rides, children's games and races, Water-low Park and Lauderdale House,

low Park and Lauderdile House, Highgate Hill, No, from 11.
May festival: music, Punch and Judy show, clowns, Riverside Studios, Crisp Road, Hammersmith, Wo, from 11.
International Music Show: band concerts, fireworks, funfair, Alexandra Park and Pavilion, Wood Green, N22, 10.30 to 9 (10.30 to 1 tomorrow).

John Galt, novelist, was born at Irvine, Scotland, 1779. Deaths: Leonardo da Vinci, Cloux, France, 1519; Alfred de Musset, poet and dramatist, Paris, 1857.

Anniversaries

dramatist, Paris, 1857.
Today is the Feast of Saint
Athanasius who was born c296 in
Alexandria. In 328 he became
bishop of that city, and devoted his
life to opposing the doctrine of
Arianism. Despite exile and much suffering. Athanasius remained uncomproming in his attitude until his death in 373.

Countryside appeal

The Countryside Commission ness gated moons and moun-cyclists not to drive on the prehistoric Ridgeway path along the Oxfordshire and Wittshire Downs on Sundays and Bank Holidays from now to the end of October. The path is classed legally as a road even though it is a track. The Commission appealed to those who must drive on it on those days to keep below 25 miles an hour.

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grounds, his ringing, trilling song audible from far away. Whimbrels, the smaller relatives of the curiew,

dangling flowers. On crabapple trees, the red buds open to reveal

Red Cross Week

in all branches of the British Red Cross Society throughout the week. Donations may be made to street collectors, or sent to the Society's headquarters at 9 Grosvenor Crescent, London SW1X 7 EJ.

Bond winners

Winning numbers in the weekly draw for Premium Bond prizes are £100,000: 23AN 615182 (the winner comes from Kent); £50,000: 23VF 865936 (Bristol); £25,000: 6ET 697134 (Fife).

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Australia \$.	1.87	1.79	
Austria Sch	28.40	26.60	
Belgium Fr	79.25	75.25	
Canada S	1.98		
	14.22	13.50	
Denmark Kr	8.99	. 8.40	
Finland Mkk ·			
France Fr	11.97	11.37	
Germany DM	. 3.99		
Greece Dr	136.00	127.80	
Hongkong \$	11.10	10.52	
Ireland Pt	1.27	1.20	
Italy Lira		2240.00	
TODY LAK	390.00	370.00	
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Netherlands Gld			
Norway Kr	11.57	10.97	
Portugal Esc	169.00	151.00	
South Africa Rd	2.00	` 1.90	
Spain Pta	216.00	205.00	
Sweden Kr	12.17		
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Roads

football traffic expected at She pherd's Bush, A308 and M3: Heavy traffic to Kempton Park race expected from noon. A23: Heavy traffic on Brighton road a Hickstead because of show immoins A20 and M2: Congestion likely near Brands Hatch, Kent, because of motor cycling event.

Midlands and East Anglia: M1: Only one lane open southbound at junction 19 (link with M6). Many road closures in Telford. Shropshire, closed 9.30 to 6 for marathon run. Many roads closed from noon in Whitchurch, N Shropshire for carnival; A41 and A49 affected.

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North: M6: Lane closures between junctions 25(A49, Wigan) and 27 (A5209, Wigan/Standish).

A50: Manual traffic control at Lawton crossroads, NW of Kidsgrove, Cheshire. A1: Lane closures at Pagraphysides. at Boroughbridge, N Yorkshire. Wales and West: M5: Lane closures between junctions 24 (Minehead) and 37 (Tiverton). A38:

Lane closures on Liskeard by-pass, Cornwall. A40: Temporary lights at Cheltenham Road roundabout Gloucester: diversion. Scotland: A82 and A830: Heavy traffic heading for Fort William for start of motor cycling trail. A90: Lane closures on Forth road bridge.

Northern Ireland: Many roads closed from midday in Belfast for marathon Information supplied by the AA.

The papers

"The wettest April on record seems to have affected Mrs Thatcher's judgment", says the Daily Mirror, "She's a political 'dry on every other topic, but when it comes to naming the (election) day, she is as soggy as any 'wet'." The CND has been treated hitherto with a moral respect which

it does not altogether deserve. The day Telegraph said yesterday: Sunday Telegraph said yesterday: "This dangerous and misguided body has been allowed to acquire an aura of holiness made all the more explicit by the presence at its head of a Roman Catholic priest."

One undercurrent of British public life is a growing disenchantment among politicians with the freedom of the press; The Sanday Times said. The press's main reply to threats of future regulation is to point to the self-regulation already carried out by the Press Council However its chairman has an acounced at short notice his intention to resign and, shrouded in secrecy, his successor has evidently been fixed. "It is unsatisfactory that the Council, which exists among other things to uphoid openness and free discussion, should conduct its own affairs so secretly," the paper

"Only the blind, the footish or the dishonest could now deny that Britain is well on the way to economic recovery, said the Sunday Express. But the Labour Party leaders will have none of it; by trying to damn the clear evidence of recovery they risk damaging the confidence that plays so vital a part of any revival. Of all the Labout leaders many faults, isn't knocking the country the shabbiest of them

Weather forecast

An area of low pressure will be slow-moving over Britain.

6 am to midnight

London, SE, central S, E, SW, central N England, East Anglie, Miclands, Channel Islands, S Wales: Showers or longer outbreaks of rain, bright or surry

intervals; wind SW to W, moderate, locally freeh; mex temp 11 or 12C (52 to 541-1.

N Wales, NW England, Lake District, late of Man, SW Scotland, Glasgow, Angell, Northern Ireland: Mostly cloudy with hill for patches, rath at times; who mainly NW moderate to Fresh; max

mainty NW, moderate to Fresh; max temp 8 to 10C (45 to 50F).

NE England, Borders, Edinbergh, Dundee: Dull and misty, rain at times; wind NE to E. moderate, locally fresh; max temp 7 or 8C (45 or 46F).

Aberdeen, Central Hightands, Morey Firth, NE Scotland: Mostly cloudy, hill fog, occasional rain or drizzie; wind NE, fresh to strong; max temp 9C (48F).

NW Scotland, orkney, Shettand: Suriny or clear intervals, makiny dry; wind NE moderate to trash; max temp 9 or 10C (48 to 50F).

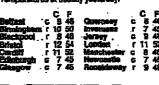
Outlook for tomorrow and Wedneaday; Continuing unsettled; temperatures near or a tittle below normal.

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Sun rises: 5,32 am Sun sets: 8.25 pm Moon rises

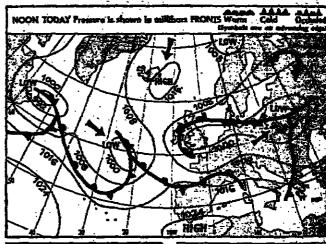
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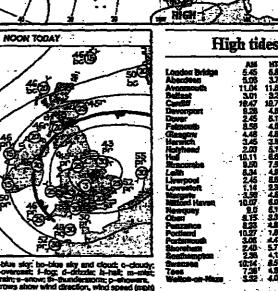
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London

Highest and lowest





Around Britain

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Abroad

MADDAY: c, cloud; f, fair; fg, log; f, rain; s, sun; sn, sn

DOWN

ACROSS

1 Newspaper feature for the troops

4 Offer put before union, perhaps

19 Go ahead with the loan (7).

11 The play of 17 elements (7).

13 Emperor beheaded 8 (4).

carries point (7).

Book Five (7).

politician (7)

23 Dig for food? (4).

region (7).

12 Offer £1 on cooked meat (10).

15 Studying gear-changing without

17 Intensely forcible flower-gir

19 Hand down letter written about

21 Aren't so peculiar as a US

24 Epicure mixes with Germans

·27 Wood against joining W African

28 Britannia metal fork? (7). 29 When discarded, fought (8). 30 Book read in bed? (6).

1 More recent inclusion in last month's return gets us rattled

2 Woman doubled one navai formation (7). 3 14th century author and Anglo-French man-of-town (10).

The Solution of Saturday's Prize Puzzle No. 16,117 will appear next Saturday

CONCISE CROSSWORD PAGE 8

The last summer visitors are coming in. Spotted flycatchers are back: they sit hunched on a gate-post, dart into the air for a passing insect, and snap back onto their perch as if they were tied to it by clastic. They have a thin song, not often heard. In Wales and the Scottish Border country, pied flycatchers have returned to the woody hillsides. They too hawk for insects, but usually start and land on different perches, their song is a loud, bright warble. Curlews are nesting on the grass-moors; the male hovers and glides over the nesting-

are making their way up the coast to the Orkneys and the Shetlands. On the lime trees, the young leaves hang on the black twigs like small green lanterns. The first elmsmall green lamerus, the first embeaves are breaking out of their pink buds. Young oak-leaves are a pale olive, like the lacy catkins that surround them. The new sycamore leaves are often pink or copper-coloured, but the trees look bright green because of the heavy sprays o

themselves as white blossoms.

Red Cross Week begins today. Displays showing how help is given to the needy are open to the public

The pound

Australia 5	1.87	1.79	
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Norway Kr	11.57	10.97	
Portugal Esc	169.00	151.60	
South Africa Rd	2.00	1.90	
Spain Pta		205.00	
Sweden Kr	12.17		
Switzerland Fr	3.35	3.17	
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USA \$			
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Retail Price Index: 327.9.			
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York, The

industrial average closed up 6.68 on Friday at 1226,20.

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